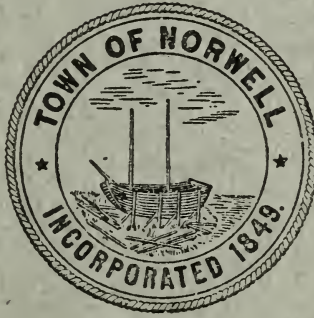


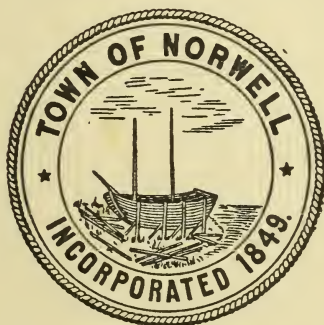


NORWELL TOWN REPORT



1923

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ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
Town Officers
OF
NORWELL



FOR THE
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Town Officers

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor

EDWARD M. SEXTON WILLIAM J. LEONARD
CLIFTON S. DEANE

Town Clerk

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Treasurer

HERBERT E. ROBBINS

Tax Collector

WILLIAM H. SPENCER

Surveyor of Highways

WALTER T. OSBORN

School Committee

BENJAMIN LORING MRS. AMY SYLVESTER
MRS. NELLIE L. SPARRELL

Auditor

ELIOT W. CROWELL

Board of Health

JOSEPH F. MERRITT MINOT WILLIAMSON
MARY B. SHATTUCK

Ridge Hill Library Trustees

ALFRED H. PROUTY

WM. J. LEONARD

WM. O. PROUTY

Tree Warden

FRED M. CURTIS

Constables

WALTER T. OSBORN

JOHN T. OSBORN

J. WARREN FOSTER

ARTHUR COOMBS

Field Drivers

THE CONSTABLES

Officers Appointed by the Selectmen

Cemetery Committee

W. WALLACE FARRAR ARTHUR T. STODDARD

*HERBERT G. SIMMONS

Scaler of Weights and Measures

J. WARREN FOSTER

Registrars of Voters

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

WILLIAM O. PROUTY

HENRY J. TOLMAN

HARRY G. PINSON

Warden of Almshouse

*ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

Forest Fire Warden

JOHN T. OSBORN

*Deceased

Gypsy Moth Agent

FRED M. CURTIS

Burial Agent

JOSEPH F. MERRITT

Inspector of Animals

J. WARREN FOSTER

Inspectors of Slaughtered Animals

AMOS H. TILDEN

ALPHEUS DAMON

Surveyors of Wood, Lumber and Bark

BERT RICHARDSON

JOHN WHALEN

W. D. TURNER

ARTHUR T. STODDARD

BENJAMIN LORING

JOHN E. LESLIE

Keeper of Lockup

*ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

Town Weigher

*ALONZO C. CHISHOLM

ADVISORY BOARD

For Three Years

HORACE T. FOGG

E. LINCOLN WOOD

JOHN H. GUTTERSON

For Two Years

JAMES H. BARNARD

CHARLES W. THOMAS

ALBERT L. SYLVESTER

For One Year

HENRY C. FORD

FREDERICK C. HASKINS

ALAN C. VIRTUE

*Deceased

Report of Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 5—12, 1923

Pursuant to a warrant under the hands of the Selectmen, duly executed and return thereof made by Walter T. Osborn, a constable of Norwell, the inhabitants of the town, qualified to vote in town affairs, met at the town hall on Monday, March 5 at 6 A. M. and took the following action on the articles in the warrant:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator.

John Whalen was chosen Moderator by ballot. He was sworn by the Town Clerk.

Article 2. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the town and act thereon.

Voted that the reports of the officers and committees as printed in the annual town report, be accepted.

Voted unanimously that the thanks of the town be extended to the central school building committee for the efficient manner in which they performed their duties.

Article 3. To make necessary appropriations to defray the expenses of the town, and for other purposes and to raise such sums of money as the town shall deem expedient for the following purposes:

Support of Poor, Almshouse, Support of Schools, High-

ways, Road Scraper, Fence Repair, Removing Snow, Notes, Interest, State and County Taxes, Town Officers, Incidentals, Visiting Nurse, County Hospital, State Aid, Board of Health, Electric Lights, Supt. of Schools, Tree Warden, Spraying Elms, Mowing Bushes, Squares and Triangles, Gypsy Moth, Fire Department, James Library, Ridge Hill Library, Soldiers' Relief, School Physician, Memorial Day, Sealing Weights and Measures, Inspection of Animals, Washington Street Cemetery, Town Hall, Furniture and Fixtures, Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture, Legion Rental.

Voted to appropriate the following amounts:

Support of Poor	\$ 2 500 00
Almshouse	2 000 00
Schools	15 000 00
Highways, Joint Account	
*State and Town	4 800 00
General Purposes	4 200 00
Road Scraper	400 00
Fence Repair	50 00
Snow Removal	2 000 00
Notes:	
River Street	4 000 00
Union Bridge	2 000 00
(2) Central Street	2 000 00
High School	2 000 00
Interest	4 600 00
State and County Taxes	6 300 00
Town Officers	2 700 00
Incidentals	2 000 00
Visiting Nurse	1 200 00
County Hospital	998 77

State Aid	I 200 00
Board of Health	500 00
Electric Lighs	500 00
Superintendent of Schools	500 00
Tree Warden	50 00
Spraying Elms	200 00
Mowing Bushes	300 00
Squares and Triangles	200 00
Gypsy Moth	584 06
Fire Department	350 00
James Library	200 00
Ridge Hill Library	50 00
Soldiers' Relief	400 00
School Physician	200 00
Memorial Day	250 00
Sealing Weighs and Measures	50 00
Inspection of Animals	60 00
Washington Street Cemetery	75 00
Town Hall	75 00
Furniture and Fixtures	I 450 00
Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture	100 00
Legion Rental	100 00

Voted to raise by taxation the amount necessary to carry out the appropriations not otherwise provided for and assess on the polls and estates of residents and on the estates of non-residents.

Article 4. To make allowance to town creditors.

No bills were presented.

Article 5. Will the town cause a statement of its financial affairs to be printed in February next?

Voted that a statement of the financial affairs of the town be printed in February, 1924, as provided in the statutes.

Article 6. Will the town adopt the following by-laws providing for a permanent Advisory Board and its functions?

Section I. The Selectmen shall appoint an Advisory Board of nine non-office holding taxpayers, who shall serve without pay, three for one year, three for two years, and three for three years, and each year hereafter, three for three years.

Section II. Said Advisory Board shall organize by choosing a Chairman and Secretary.

Section III. The duty of the Advisory Board shall be to investigate and consider all financial propositions to be brought before the town and to report and advise thereon in Town Meeting before any action shall be taken.

Section IV. The Selectmen shall transmit to the Chairman of the Advisory Board a copy of all town warrants issued by them, on or before the day of posting.

Section V. The Advisory Board may require the Selectmen and other town officials under whose directions appropriations are expended, to submit to them at least thirty days before the annual town meeting, an estimate of the appropriations necessary for their various departments, and to appear before them for consultation at any time and place the said Board shall determine.

Section VI. The Advisory Board shall grant a hearing upon all articles under which appropriations of money are

proposed, to the several voters whose signatures first appear as petitioners for the article.

Section VII. All reports, advice, suggestions or recommendations as provided in Section III, shall be submitted in writing, signed by the Chairman and Secretary, together with the records of the proceedings of said Board, and shall be filed with the records of the town in the office of the Town Clerk.

Section VIII. Five members of said Board shall constitute a quorum.

Voted to adopt the above by-laws.

Article 7. Will the town authorize the Selectmen to purchase or acquire by right of eminent domain, a tract of land adjoining the High School, containing two acres, more or less, and raise and appropriate a sum of money therefor?

(Request of School Committee.) (Not approved by Advisory Board.)

Voted to pass over.

Article 8. Will the town appropriate the sum of \$2,000 to resurface, steam roll and tarvia Lincoln and Mt. Blue Streets beginning at the Hingham line and working towards Cushing Corner?

(Request of Mrs. Henrietta T. Virtue.)

(Not approved by Advisory Board.)

Voted to pass over.

Article 9. Will the town act with the town of Hanover to have electric lights at the junction of River Street, Norwell, and Broadway, Hanover, and at Assinippi?

Voted to act with the town of Hanover to have electric lights at the junction of River Street, Norwell, and Broadway, Hanover, and at Assinippi.

Article 10. Will the town maintain an electric light on Washington Street near the residence of Will C. Young?

(Request of Wm. J. Leonard.)

Voted to maintain an electric light near the residence of W. C. Young on Washington Street.

Article 11. Will the town authorize the Selectmen to appoint a committee to investigate the feasibility of establishing a town forest?

(Request of Governor Cox.)

Voted that the Selectmen appoint a committee to investigate the feasibility of establishing a town forest. The number to be at their discretion.

Article 12. Will the town act on a resolution requesting legislation: (1) to fix the maximum price at which coal may be sold in any congressional district or part thereof; (2) to provide for prior sales and shipments to consumers and to retailers of coal.

(Request of Chas. A. Jenney, Brockton.)

Voted to adopt the following resolution:

A Resolution from the Citizens of Norwell, Requesting Legislation for an Agency of the Federal Government to Fix a Maximum Price for the Sale of Coal Under Certain Conditions; also for Legislation Making Provisions for Priority Sales and Shipments of Coal to Consumers and to Retailers.

RESOLVED, That we, the citizens of Norwell, in Town meeting assembled, request the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States to designate, or to create, some agency of the federal government, which shall have all the powers essential to fix, and the power to fix, a maximum price on coal whenever and wherever sold either by producer or dealer: any or all such powers to be exercised, the need being shown therefor, for the benefit of any congressional district, or part thereof, whenever said agency is so requested in writing by the member of congress representing said district; any or all such powers to continue in force so long as, in the opinion of the Congressman making the request, the need of such federal control exists.

RESOLVED, That we further request legislation which shall provide that, in the sale and shipment of coal at the mines or elsewhere, orders for coal from consumers and from dealers selling directly to consumers, shall take precedence over all other orders; said legislation to provide also for the prompt transportation of such shipments.

RESOLVED, That a copy of these resolutions with the vote thereon be sent to our Congressman requesting by this action that he present the same in behalf of this town to congress; that similar copies be sent to each of our United States Senators, and to the sponser of these resolutions for such use as may be of assistance in promoting activity in checking profiteering in coal.

Article 13. Will the town adopt the following resolution?

"That the voters of Norwell in town meeting assembled respectfully request the N. Y., N. H. & H. Railroad Company to make Greenbush the terminus on the Plymouth Branch via Cohasset, instead of Cohasset, and all trains now scheduled or to be scheduled as ending at Cohasset be continued to such Greenbush terminus."

(Request of Fred A. Beals, Scituate.)

Voted to adopt the above resolution.

Article 14. Will the town give any instructions to town officers?

Voted, that the Selectmen be instructed to take from the incidental account a sufficient amount to provide for the temporary grading around the new school building.

Voted that the Selectmen appoint a Norwell director for the Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture.

Voted, that the Selectmen and all heads of departments be instructed not to exceed the appropriations.

Article 15. Will the town authorize the Treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1924, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1924, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1924.

Voted, that the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1924, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1924, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts

incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1924.

Article 16. What salary and compensation will the town vote to pay all its elected officers. To conform with Section 95, Chapter 25, of the Revised Laws as amended by Section 8 of Chapter 591 of 1920?

The following salaries were voted:

Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of the Poor	
per day	\$ 5 00
Constables, per day	4 50
Highway Surveyor, per day	4 50
Board of Health, per day	4 50
Tree Warden, per day	4 50..
Town Clerk	135 00
Treasurer	225 00
Tax Collector	225 00
Auditor	50 00
Secretary of School Committee	100 00
Other Members of School Committee	25 00
Moderator for Services	10 00

Article 17. Will the town raise and appropriate the sum of forty-eight hundred dollars to be expended on highways, under the provisions of Section 26 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws as amended.

(Approved by Advisory Board.)

This article was taken up in connection with Article 3, and appropriation made under that article.

Article 18. Will the town raise and appropriate a sum of

money to erect a suitable flag pole in front of the new school building?

(Request of School Committee.)

(Not approved by Advisory Board.)

Voted to pass over.

Article 19. Will the town raise and appropriate a sum of money to paint the sides of the town hall to correspond with the new school building?

(Request of School Committee.)

(Not approved by Advisory Board.)

Voted to pass over.

Article 20. Will the town raise and appropriate a sum of money to grade the grounds around the new school building?

(Request of School Committee.)

(Not approved by Advisory Board.)

Voted to pass over.

It was announced that Mr. John H. Gutterson had presented a sum of money for a flag and pole for the new school building and an unanimous vote of thanks was given him for his generosity.

In connection with the work of the Advisory Board an unanimous vote of thanks was given them for the manner in which they expedited the business of the meeting.

The fish rights were purchased by Charles S. Tilden of Rockland for \$4.00.

Subsequent meeting for the election of officers, Monday, March 12, 1923. Action was taken on the following article:

Article 21. To bring in their votes for a Town Clerk for one year; one Selectman; one Assessor; and one Overseer of the Poor for three years; a Treasurer; a Collector of Taxes; an Auditor; a Surveyor of Highways; Five Constables and a Tree Warden for one year; one member of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; one Trustee for the Ridge Hill Library, for three years, and to vote yes or no in answer to the questions: "Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town" and "Shall the town petition for the installation of an accounting system by the Commonwealth?" (This question is submitted under the provisions of Chapter 516, Acts of 1922.) All on one ballot. Polls open from 6 A. M. to 11 A. M.

Pursuant to the above article the qualified voters met and took action as follows: Moderator John Whalen was in charge of the meeting. The election officers were: Edward M. Sexton, Clifton S. Deane, Carlton Litchfield, Amos H. Tilden, Alice C. Merritt, Henrietta Virtue. 267 names were checked and the same number of ballots cast. The result was:

TOWN CLERK (For One Year)

Joseph F. Merritt	223
Blanks	44

SELECTMAN (For Three Years)

Harry W. Gardner	106
William J. Leonard	151
Blanks	8

ASSESSOR (For Three Years)

Harry W. Gardner	108
William J. Leonard	147
Blanks	14

OVERSEER OF POOR (For Three Years)

Harry W. Gardner	110
William J. Leonard	147
Blanks	10

TREASURER (For One Year)

Herbert E. Robbins	233
Blanks	34

COLLECTOR OF TAXES (For One Year)

William H. Spencer	220
Blanks	47

AUDITOR (For One Year)

Elliott W. Crowell	216
Blanks	51

HIGHWAY SURVEYOR (For One Year)

Walter T. Osborn	213
Emanuel Joseph	1
Blanks	53

CONSTABLES (For One Year)

Arthur Coombs	208
J. Warren Foster	204
Walter T. Osborn	212
John T. Osborn	205
Lester D. West	202
Blanks	304

SCHOOL COMMITTEE (For Three Years)

Nellie L. Sparrell	181
Emeline Barnard	2
Henrietta Virtue	1
Harry Pinson	1
Blanks	82

BOARD OF HEALTH (For Three Years)

Mary E. Bache	202
Blanks	65

TREE WARDEN (For One Year)

Fred M. Curtis	209
Blanks	58

TRUSTEE RIDGE HILL LIBRARY (For Three Years)

William O. Prouty	205
Blanks	62

License for Sale of Certain Non-Intoxicating Beverages

Yes	88
No	115
Blanks	64

Shall the Town petition for the installation of an accounting system by the Commonwealth? (Chapter 516, Acts of 1922.)

Yes	56
No	117
Blanks	94

Meeting dissolved:

JOSEPH F. MERRITT, Town Clerk.

LICENSES ISSUED

32 Combination hunting, fishing and trapping at \$2.00	\$ 64 00
59 Resident hunting and trapping at \$1.50.....	88 50
6 Resident fishing at \$1.00.....	6 00
18 Minor trappers at 25c.....	4 50
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	\$ 163 00
Fees 115 Licenses at 15c	17 25
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Forwarded to Division of Fisheries and Game \$ 145 75

DOGS LICENSED

Whole number licensed to Dec. 31, 1923	122
100 Males at \$2.00	\$ 200 00
22 Females at \$5.00	110 00
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	\$ 310 00
Less fees 122 licenses at 20c	24 40
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Amount forwarded to County Treasurer.....	\$ 285 60

ENROLLED MILITIA

Number enrolled for military duty July 1, 1923—185 Men.

REGISTERED VOTERS

At close of registration Feb. 24, 1923, there were 612 voters on the lists.

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN NORWELL DURING
THE YEAR 1923

February 3. Married in Norwell, James Everett Winslow of Norwell and Olive Phillips Clary of Hingham, by Rev. Frederick H. Kidder.

February 9. Married in Norwell, Beatty Smith Balestier of Dummerston, Vt., and Helen Berry Banning of Norwell, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson.

March 5. Married in Boston, Frederick A. Frederickson of Norwell and Ellen Anderson of Brookline, by Rev. S. G. Hogglund.

March 14. Married in Norwell, Raymond Eliot Strong of Norwell and Doris Merle Hayes of Medford, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson.

March 24. Married in Scituate, Cecil Moffatt Babbitt of Norwell and Stella Lelia Whorf of Scituate, by Rev. Allan D. Creelman.

April 28. Married in Cohasset, Sherwood Carlton Ainslie of Norwell and Mary Isabel DeMello of Cohasset by Rev. Daniel J. Carney.

June 7. Married in Milton, John Edward Gardner of Milton and Rosa Frances Lee of Norwell by Rev. Roderick Stebbins.

June 30. Married in Norwell, Watton Dyer Sproul and Ethel May Soule, both of Norwell, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson

July 7. Married in Hanover, Lester Elwin Delano of Norwell and Alma Elizabeth Callahan of Hanover, by Rev. Harry E. Titus.

July 11. Married in Cambridge, George Shepherd Morton, Jr. of Norwell and Isabel Patricia Rose of Cambridge, by Rev. Wm. J. Lillis.

August 30. Married in Brockton, Arthur Herman Osborne of Norwell and Marian Rachel Davis of Hanover, by Rev. Edwin H. Gibson.

September 20. Married in Medfield, Harry Briggs Brown of Norwell and Ida May Tingley of Medway, by Rev. James A. Pollard.

October 7. Married in Lynn, Harold E. Whittenberger of Norwell and Marie L. Hines of Lynn, by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless.

October 18. Married in Hanover, Harry Thomas Downes of Hanover and Gertrude Elizabeth Walsh of Norwell, by Rev. Marcus H. Carroll.

October 27. Married in Rockland, Bernard B. Schultz of Norwell and Ruth A. Cushing of Rockland, by Rev. Carlton A. Burgess.

November 5. Married in Norwell, Robert C. Goosby and Louise G. Robinson, both of Norwell, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson.

December 7. Married in Norwell, Winfield Smith Ross and E. Mabel Wilder, both of Norwell, by Herman L. Studley, Town Clerk and Justice of the Peace.

December 19. Married in Norwell, John N. Shattuck of Hiningham and Mary Samaha Bache of Norwell, by Rev. Alfred J. Wilson.

December 21. Married in Rockland, Herbert Wallace Newcomb of Weymouth and Ethelwyn Kirkwood Clark of Norwell, by Rev. Carlton A. Burgess.

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN NORWELL DURING THE YEAR 1923

DATE OF BIRTH	NAME OF CHILD	NAMES OF PARENTS	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	PLACE OF BIRTH
January 3	Kenneth Harding Gauley	David G. and Harriet	Hitchcock	Norwell
January 3	Wesley Holmes Osborne, Jr.	Wesley H. and Adelaide	Gooch	Norwell
January 5	Blanche Eleanor Bell	Chester A. and Blanche	Winslow	Boston
January 8	Mary Eleana Schloski	Robert and Agnes L.	Grew	Norwell
January 13	Virginia Florence Damon	Francis H. and Annie M.	Baker	Norwell
January 25	Josephine Earino	Dominico and Amalia	Bel adonna	Norwell
January 27	Walter Sanger Crane, 3d	Walter S. and Sibyl	Robson	Boston
February 14	Nathan Haywood Hartwell, Jr.	Nathan H. and Ethel M.	Burns	Norwell
March 5	Warren Parker Merritt	Archie and Nellie	Stoddard	Norwell
March 14	Constance Joseph	Percy E. and Florence	Kaiser	Norwell
March 26	Dorothy E. Treptow	Fred C. and Gladys	Jackman	Norwell
March 27	William B. Migre	Pasquale J. and Helena W.	Gray	Norwell
April 22	Mary Katherine Leary	John H. and Elizabeth V.	Wilson	Norwell
June 16	Wallace Alfred Weatherby	Lyman A. and Bessie E.	Cutler	Norwell
July 6	Virginia Ruth Scott	A. Lester and Ruth E.	Holbrook	Hanover
July 18	Harriet Louise Turner	Samuel and Ethel C.	Young	Norwell
August 5	Irene Louise Dussault	Arthur P. and Marie Agnes	Gaillardet	Weymouth
August 15	Jean Curtis Phipps	Clyde E. and Alice P.	Griffin	Weymouth
September 12	Lawrence Gi-man Ainslie	Henry W. and Mary	Almeida	Norwell
November 9	Helen Mazer	Henry and Pauline	Madwick	Norwell
November 15	Russell Alden Torrey	Everett and Ethel French	Stoddard	Norwell
August 22	Frederick Douglas Lee, Jr.	Frederick D. and Margaret S	Smith	Boston
December 29	Jerome Alfred Hume	Samuel H. and Rose	Almeida	Norwell
December 30	Robert Ernest Pratt	Fred and Nellie	Farr	Boston
September 13	Fair	William and Helen		Boston

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN NORWELL DURING THE YEAR 1923

DATE OF BIRTH	NAME OF CHILD	NAMES OF PARENTS	MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	PLACE OF BIRTH
January 28 ... 1893	Nelson P. Tisdale	George H. and Amelia F. ...	Nash	Norwell
August 18 1908	Norman F. Pratt	William W. and Helen W. ...	Pratt	Norwell

Blanks for returning births will be furnished by the Town Clerk. Any errors or omissions should be reported to him.

DEATHS RECORDED IN NORWELL DURING THE YEAR 1923

DATE OF DEATH	NAME	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF	
		Y.	M.	D.		DEATH	BIRTH
January 21 ..	Arabella Ford (Turner)	85	8	11	Results of Age—Cerebral Sec-	Norwell	Scituate
January 24 ..	Corinne Caroline Gunderway ..	16	5	—	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Norwell	Norwell
January 25 ..	Edward Payson Tolman ..	80	8	24	Influenza	Norwell	Norwell
February 6 ..	Benjamin Briggs	74	10	8	Bronchial Pneumonia	Norwell	South Scituate
February 8 ..	Timothy Sheehan	73	—	—	Bronchitis, Influenza	Norwell	Ireland
February 21 ..	Nettie F. Harris	47	—	3	Pulmonary Tuberculosis	Hanson	Norwell
March 12 ..	Mary Thomas Barker (Cushing) ..	71	0	2	Influenza	Norwell	East Abington
March 28	William A. Stoddard	66	7	11	Arterio Sclerosis	Norwell	East Abington
April 2	Emery Austin Ewell	65	2	6	Apoplexy	Norwell	Marshfield
April 4	Charles M. Leavitt	76	4	8	Cerebral Hemorrhage — Ch.	Norwell	Scituate
April 17	Jessie Jennings (MacDonald) ..	74	3	23	Cardiac Disease	Norwell	Scot and
April 24	William T. Sylvester	72	—	—	Ch. Cardiac Disease	Norwell	Scituate
June 10	Helen Romana	—	—	4	Valular Disease of Heart; Shock	Norwell	Norwell
June 19	Olivia Marsh	79	7	11	from Scalds	Norwell	Norwell
June 22	George Taylor Chamberlain ..	66	—	—	Inanition, Weak Heart	Norwell	Danville, Me.
June 28	Augustus Hatch	86	10	26	Abdominal Cancer	Norwell	Norwell
July 3	Isabel A. Torrey (Curtis)	76	1	23	Alcoholism (probably) Found	Norwell	South Scituate
July 4	Arthur M. L. Mekkelan	22	6	9	dead in woods	Norwell	Marshfield
July 6	William Raymond Vinal	79	8	12	Arterio Sclerosis—Nephritis ..	Norwell	Carnel, Me.
August 1	Wallace C. Weatherby	—	1	16	Sarcoma of Uterus	Norwell	Boston
August 26	Alice Louisa Stetson (Merritt) ..	65	5	6	Tuberculosis of Lungs	Norwell	South Scituate
					Cystitis	Norwell	Norwell
					Organic Heart Disease	Norwell	Norwell
					Carcinoma of Uterus	Norwell	Scituate

DEATHS RECORDED IN NORWELL DURING THE YEAR 1923

DATE OF DEATH	NAME	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH	PLACE OF BIRTH
		Y.	M.	D.			
August 9 ...	Rachel Binney Lawrence (Beal)	77	5	25	Arterio Sclerosis	Brockton	Hull
September 6 .	Frederick Ward Seymour	43	3	—	Cerebral Hemorrhage	Norwell	Holyoke
November 10	Edgar Cushing Hatch	56	9	21	Suicide by Hanging	Norwell ..	South Scituate
November 12	Maria Grace Giorgetti	55	—	—	Carcinoma of Intestines	Norwell	Italy
December 10	Harrison Wilder	79	7	19	Acute Dilation of Heart	Norwell	Scituate
December 12	George S. Corthell	49	2	—	Ch. Appendicitis--Ch. Nephritis	Boston ..	South Scituate

BROUGHT INTO TOWN FOR BURIAL DURING THE YEAR 1923

DATE OF DEATH	NAME	AGE			CAUSE OF DEATH	PLACE OF DEATH
		Y.	M.	D.		
March 18 . . . 1922	George F. Wellington	73	3	3	Bronchial Pneumonia	Boston
December 9 . . 1922	Henry F. Ford	80	3	2	Carcinoma	Rockland
February 25. 1923	Elizabeth M. Turner	60	2	9	Cancer	Seymour, Conn.
February 27 .	John C. Maynard	74	3	2	Arterio Sclerosis	Boston
July 21	Mary A. Chamberlin	70	6	29	Arterio Sclerosis	Taunton
August 1	Anna G. Merrill	83	2	16	Pneumonia	Hanover
August 4	Abbie F. Coleman	74	6	7	Diabetes	Braintree
September 9 .	Elvira B. Vinal	89	6	—	Cerebral Arterio Sclerosis	Brockton
April 26	Mary Josephine Spear	63	8	26	Chronic Nephritis	East Bridgewater
May 8	Cora L. Orcutt	48	1	4		Rockland

19 Marriages

27 Births

27 Deaths

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH F. MERRITT, Town Clerk.

Selectmen

TOWN OFFICERS' ACCOUNT

Edward M. Sexton, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	\$ 527 50
William J. Leonard, Selectman, Assessor and Overseer of Poor	497 50
Clifton S. Deane, Selectman, Assessor and Over- seer of Poor	485 00
John Whalen, Moderator and Election Officer ..	15 00
Joseph F. Merritt, Town Clerk	134 00
Joseph F. Merritt, Registrar of Voters	35 00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1920	25 00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1921	100 00
William H. Spencer, Tax Collector, 1922	100 00
J. Warren Foster, Constable	1 50
Arthur Coombs, Constable	2 00
Walter T. Osborn, Constable	138 75
John T. Osborn, Constable	51 00
Lester D. West, Constable	23 50
Herbert E. Robbins, Treasurer	225 00
Henry J. Tolman, Registrar of Voters	25 00
Mrs. Nellie L. Sparrell, School Committee	100 00
Benj. Loring, School Committee	25 00
Mrs. Alice C. Merritt, Teller	4 00
Mrs. Henrietta P. Virtue, Teller	4 00
Amos H. Tilden, Teller	4 00
Carleton O. Litchfield,	4 00
Harry G. Pinson, Registrar of Voters, 1922 ..	25 00

Elliott W. Crowell, Auditor, 1922	50 00
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Appropriation	\$ 2 601 75
	2 700 00
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Balance	\$ 98 25

INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT

Rockland Standard Publishing Company, Town Reports, Warrants and Voters' Lists	\$ 447 90
Franklin Publishing Company, Ad. Advisory Board	2 00
Commonwealth of Mass., Counting Board	5 00
Wm. D. Turner, Auto Service for Constable ..	12 00
Hobbs & Warren, Stationery	14 00
P. B. Murphy, Stationery	3 40
William J. Leonard, Expenses	55 81
Edward M. Sexton, Expenses	29 44
Clifton S. Deane, Expenses	4 90
J. Warren Foster, Expense for Selectman	7 00
J. H. Sparrell, Auto Service	102 50
Fidelity and Deposit Company, Bonds Collector and Treasurer	100 00
W. L. Shaw, Painting Traffic Boards	10 90
Hingham Taxi Service	8 00
Carrie M. Ford, Printing	50 25
Lyman Wadsworth, Assisting Constable	2 00
W. L. Scott, Assisting Constable	2 00
Herbert E. Robbins, Insurance	340 00
Herbert E. Robbins, Notary Public	5 00
Herbert E. Robbins, Photo School Building ..	2 50
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell, Returning Deaths, 1922	6 25
John B. Washburn, Transfers	20 00
Walter T. Osborn, Expense as Constable	26 25

TOWN OF NORWELL

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Walter T. Osborn, Moving Safe	12 00
Town of Scituate, Tax on Real Estate.....	10 22
Allen Bros., Rubber Stamp	9 96
Diamond Union Stamp Works, Pad	2 35
A. W. Babbitt Company, Inc., Register for Treasurer	4 50
Walter T. Osborn, High School Grading.....	141 00
Nine Physicians, Returning Births (14)	3 50
Geo. E. Mansfield, Returning Deaths (2)	50
Joseph F. Merritt, Returning Births, Marriages, and Deaths	44 00
Wm. H. Spencer, Stamps and Envelopes....	70 01
W. H. Spencer, Refund 1919 Tax, Overpaid..	10 35
Calvin S. West, Notary Public	5 00
New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, Tolls	24 20
Town of Hanover, 1-3 Expense in Beach Case..	39 11
Fred Frederickson, Reward under G. L. Chap. 276, Sec. 10	50 00
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	\$ 1 683 80
Refund on Insurance	20 00
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	1 663 80
Appropriation	2 000 00
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Balance	\$336 20

MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS

WASHINGTON STREET CEMETERY

W. T. Osborn, Labor	\$ 13 00
Harry C. Chandler, Labor	11 75

W. W. Farrar, Labor	14 75	
A .T. Stoddard, Labor	35 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 75 00

LOTS SOLD

Fred W. Davis, 32, Sec. A	\$ 12 00	
Augustus Hatch, 68, Sec. B	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 22 00
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		\$ 53 00
Appropriation		75 00
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Unexpended		\$ 22 00

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

Susan A. Tolman	\$ 48 00	
Augustus Hatch	36 00	
Mary Fitts	17 00	
George A. Hatch	45 00	
Elizabeth C. Creed, Rent	52 00	
Dr. Wm. P. Grovestein, Medical attendance	30 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 228 00
Appropriation		400 00
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Unexpended		\$ 172 00

CENTRAL SCHOOL

C. A. Batson, Balance on Contract	\$ 4 900 00
C. A. Batson, Extra Work.....	344 78
J. Williams Beal Sons, Architects..	997 83

Stone & Underhill Vent. Co.	1 291 00	
J. H. McDonald, Electrical Con-		
tractor	248 43	
	<hr/>	\$ 7 782 04
Balance 1922 Appropriation		7 716 79
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Exceeded		\$ 65 25

LIGHTING STREETS

Electric Light & Power Company	\$ 529 87
Appropriation	500 00
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Exceeded	\$ 29 87
This Account Covers Bills for 13 Months.	

SCHOOL AND DISTRICT NURSE

Mary E. Bache	\$ 500 00
Katherine Rowe	700 00
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	\$ 1 200 00
Appropriation	.. \$ 1 200 00

JAMES LIBRARY

Mary L. Power	\$ 200 00
Appropriation	<hr/> \$ 200 00

RIDGE HILL LIBRARY

Wm. J. Leonard	\$ 50 00
Appropriation	<hr/> \$ 50 00

TOWN HALL

C. A. Bruce, Janitor	\$ 25 60
W. C. Soule, Glass	6 75

A. J. Turner, Repairs	3 50	
Young Electric Co., Labor and Materials	10 16	
Benjamin Loring, Stage	8 50	
Harry S. Merritt, Repairs	6 80	
J. H. Sparrell, Repairs	75	
George F. Welch Co., 4650 Lbs. Coal	39 53	
	<hr/>	\$ 101 59
Appropriation		75 00
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Exceeded		\$ 26 59

SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

Dr. Wm. P. Grovestein, Services 1922	\$ 100 00	
Dr. Wm. P. Grovestein, Services 1923	100 00	
Appropriation	<hr/>	\$ 200 00

INSPECTION OF ANIMALS

J. Warren Foster, Services.....	\$ 59 00	
Appropriation	60 00	
Balance	<hr/>	\$ 1 00

LEGION RENTAL

Ethel L. West, Treasurer, One Year's Rent	\$ 75 00	
Appropriation	100 00	
Balance	<hr/>	\$ 25 00

CENTRAL STREET SPECIAL

Expended 1922	\$ 9 533 36	
Expended 1923:		
A. J. Mitchell, Inc.,	\$ 4 624 07	
Puritan Iron Works, Grates	25 50	
Weighers	74 00	
	<u> </u>	\$14 256 93
Received from State	\$ 5 883 55	
Received from County	5 855 00	
Appropriation	5 000 00	
	<u> </u>	\$16 738 55
Balance		\$ 2 481 62

This account has not been closed. 15 per cent of the contract price was reserved for claims which have not yet been adjusted.

MEMORIAL DAY

G. A. R. Committee	\$ 250 00	
Appropriation	<u> </u>	\$ 250 00

EDWARD M. SEXTON
WILLIAM J. LEONARD
CLIFTON S. DEANE

Selectmen.

Assessors

Taxable Real Estate	\$1 269 040 00	
Taxable Personal Estate	246 980 00	
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Total Valuation 1923		\$ 1 516 020 00
Total Valuation 1922		1 460 150 00
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Increase		\$ 55 870 00
Exempted Real Estate ..	\$ 24 210 00	
Exempted Personal Estate	685 00	
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Total Exempted		\$ 24 895 00
Tax Rate, 1923	\$38 50 per	\$1 000 00
Town Tax, including overlay	53 619 69	
County Tax	2 777 51	
State Tax	3 240 00	
State Highway Tax	213 80	
Plymouth County Hospital Construction and Maintenance		998 77
Persons Assessed	1063	
Poll Tax Only	108	
Polls Assessed	497	
Total Number Polls	516	
Polls Exempt	20	
Number of Acres of Land	12,872 7-12	
Number of Dwelling Houses	527 1-2	
Number of Horses	145	
Number of Cows	184	
Number of Neat Cattle	41	
Number of Sheep	42	

Number of Swine	21
Number of Fowl	11267

EDWARD M. SEXTON
WILLIAM J. LEONARD
CLIFTON S. DEANE

Assessors.

Overseers of Poor

ALMSHOUSE ACCOUNT

A. C. Chisholm, Warden	\$ 500 00
A. C. Chisholm, Laundry and Sup- plies	61 43
George S. Corthell, Meat	234 64
Calvin S. West & Son, Supplies...	241 06
John H. Leary, Supplies	190 47
The Turner Store, Supplies	15 22
Phillips, Bates & Co., Grain	181 90
George F. Welch Co., Coal	333 34
Walter T. Osborn, 10 cords Wood	70 00
Walter T. Osborn, Mowing and Harrowing	38 00
Electric Light & Power Co., Lights	19 01
C. L. Rice, Inc., Mattress	12 25
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell, Casket, Burial	75 00
S. O. Jacobs, Grave	8 00
J. A. Martin, Ice	20 83
A. T. Stoddard, Sawing Wood	15 00
Mary E. Bache, Grass	10 00
Geo. S. Torrey, Grass	8 00
E. E. Henderson, Pasturing	8 00
Arthur L. Power, use of stock	3 00
Frederick T. Bailey & Co., Repairs	25 90
<hr/> \$ 2 071 06	

RECEIPTS

Calf	\$ 18 54	
Milk, Eggs and Vegetables	201 24	
Weighing Hay	10 38	
Fowl	23 62	
	<hr/>	\$ 253 78
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		\$ 1 817 28
Appropriation		2 000 00
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Balance		\$ 182 72

POOR ACCOUNT

Dept. of Public Welfare, Board ..	\$ 1 082 71
Monetary Aid	278 00
Phillips, Bates & Co., Coal	18 00
Geo. F. Welch Co., Coal	15 50
Mass. Hospital School, Board	204 57
Town of Barnstable, Board	16 00
Calvin S. West & Son, Supplies ..	16 20
Basil S. Simmons, Coal	18 00
Wm. J. Leonard, Supplies and Ex- penses	22 45
C. W. Robinson, Supplies	2 86
A. W. Robinson, Repairing Shoes ..	1 80
A. T. Stoddard, Fitting Fuel	2 00
City of Brockton, Aid	3 00
J. H. Sparrell, Auto Service	5 50

Dr. W. P. Henderson, Services . . .	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 1 690 59
Refund		51 74
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		\$ 1 638 85
Appropriation		2 500 00
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Balance		\$ 861 15

Board of Health

Plymouth County Hospital, Board	\$ 431 60	
Dept. of Public Welfare, Board at		
State Infirmary	46 00	
Dept. of Health, City of New York,		
Anti Rabic Vaccine	75 00	
Frank Baker, Services	10 00	
C. M. Ford, Printing	3 50	
Amos H. Tilden, Inspection of		
Slaughtering	93 50	
J. H. Sparrell, Auto Service	6 00	
J. F. Merritt, Services	80 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 745 60
Appropriation	\$ 500 00	
Received Account Board at Plym-		
outh County Hospital	124 80	
Received Account Board at Plym-		
outh County Hospital	30 00	
Due from State Board of Health		
Subsidy	168 57	
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Balance		\$ 77 77

Diseases Reported

Chicken Pox	I
German Measles	I

Measles	25
Mumps	1
Scarlet Fever	3
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Typhoid Fever	2
Whooping Cough	1
Lobar Pneumonia	2
Broncho Pneumonia	1
Influenza	1

INSPECTION OF SLAUGHTERING

Amos H. Tilden, Inspector

Beef Cattle	2
Calves	24
Hogs	106
Sheep	4

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MINOT WILLIAMSON
JOSEPH F. MERRITT
MARY B. SHATTUCK

Board of Health

Trustees

FORTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE COFFIN FUND

Amount of Fund	\$ 2 000 00	
Available Interest in Bank Jan. 1,		
1923	\$ 250 85	
Interest on Bank Book	108 16	
	<hr/>	359 01
Paid Worthy Poor	\$ 28 00	
Available Interest in Bank Jan. 1,		
1924	331 01	
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THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUS- TEES OF THE ABIGAIL T. OTIS CEMETERY AND TOMB FUNDS

Amount of Funds	\$ 1 500 00	
Interest on Bank Book, Jan. 1, 1923	\$ 220 00	
Interest to Jan. 1, 1924	82 64	
	<hr/>	302 64
Paid Cemetery Committee for care of lot and cemetery	\$ 61 70	
Interest in Bank Jan. 1, 1924.....	240 94	
	<hr/>	\$ 302 64

THIRTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF THE ABIGAIL T. OTIS POOR FUND

Amount of Fund	\$ 2 000 00
Available interest in Bank Jan. 1, 1923	\$ 280 08
Interest on Bank Book	107 78
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	\$ 387 86
Paid Worthy Poor	\$ 90 00
Interest in Bank Jan. 1, 1924	297 86
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	\$ 387 86

CEMETERY TRUST FUNDS

Name of Fund	Year Deposited	Amount of Fund	Interest On Hand Jan. 1, '23	Interest Added During Year	Expended During Year	Interest On Hand Jan. 1, '24
Josselyn	1888	\$200	\$40. 00	\$11 54	\$0 00	\$51 54
Samuel C. Cudworth	1892	200	75 00	13 20	0 00	88 20
Prudence C. Delano	1895	300	110 00	19 70	0 00	129 70
Nancy Hersey	1897	100	10 00	5 27	0 00	15 27
Betsy Tolman	1900	100	0 00	4 80	0 00	4 80
George P. Clapp	1903	100	0 00	4 80	0 00	4 80
Mary C. Robbins	1904	200	40 00	11 54	0 00	51 54
Charles H. Merritt	1905	50	0 00	2 40	0 00	2 40
James W. Sampson	1906	250	50 00	14 41	0 00	64 41
Mary O. Robbins Tomb	1907	100	25 00	6 01	0 00	31 01
Davis Wamon	1907	100	20 00	5 77	0 00	25 77
Susan C. Damon	1907	100	10 00	5 27	0 00	15 27
George H. Bates	1907	100	5 00	5 04	0 00	10 04
Gad Leavitt	1909	100	0 00	4 80	0 00	4 80
Adeline A. Payne	1910	200	25 00	10 81	0 00	35 81
Thomas Sampson	1911	75	0 00	3 59	0 00	3 59
Abbie S. Bates	1915	200	55 35	12 03	4 50	62 88
Hosea J. Stockbridge	1915	200	33 53	11 21	0 00	44 74
N. P. Brownell	1916	150	0 00	7 19	0 00	7 19
John H. Knapp	1918	100	7 43	5 16	0 00	12 59
Olive H. Brigham	1919	100	0 00	19 31	0 00	19 31
Benj. P. Nichols	1921	75	0 34	3 61	0 00	3 95
Albert S. Greene	1922	200	0 00	4 50	0 00	4 50
Timothy Chapman	1923	100	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00

EDWARD M. SEXTON, WILLIAM J. LEONARD, CLIFTON S. DEANE, Trustees.

Tree Warden

Fred M. Curtis, Labor, 3 Days....	\$ 13 50	
Fred M. Curtis, Use Truck, 2 Days	6 50	
Chas. Bates, 10 Hours.....	3 50	
Lincoln Bates, 1 Day, 10 Hours..	7 50	
A. C. Chisholm, 1 Day, 10 Hours..	7 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 38 50
Appropriation		50 00
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Unexpended		\$ 11 50

MOWING AND BURNING BUSHES

Fred M. Curtis, Labor, 19 Days...	\$ 85 50	
Chas. Bruce, Labor, 9 Days.....	36 00	
Fred M. Curtis, Use Truck, Labor 17 Days	51 00	
A. C. Chisholm, Labor, 1-2 Day ..	2 00	
Chas. Bates, Labor, 10 Days	40 00	
Emery Dobson, Labor, 10 Days..	40 00	
O. R. Litchfield, Labor, 4 Days....	16 00	
Lincoln Bates, Labor, 5 Days.....	20 00	
E. M. Sexton, Labor, 3 Days.....	12 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 302 50
Appropriation		300 00
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Exceeded		\$ 2 50

SQUARES AND TRIANGLES

Fred M. Curtis, Labor, 7 1-2 Days	\$ 33 75	
Fred M. Curtis, Use Truck, 7 Days	21 00	
Chas. Bates, Labor, 4 1-2 Days....	18 00	
A. C. Chisholm, Labor, 5 Days....	20 00	
Lincoln Bates, Labor, 6 Days....	24 00	
Joseph Totman, Labor, 1 Day.....	4 00	
Chas. Chamberlin, Labor, 1-2 Day..	2 00	
Chas. Bruce, Labor, 3 Days.....	12 00	
James H. Pinkham, Labor,.....	5 00	
Emery Dobson, Labor, 1 1-2 Days	6 00	
E. M. Sexton, Labor, 1 1-2 Days..	6 00	
John Whalen, 13 Loads Dressing..	65 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 216 75
Appropriation		200 00
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Exceeded		\$ 16 75

FRED M. CURTIS

Tree Warden

Moth Superintendent

F. M. Curtis, 93 Days' Labor.....	\$ 418 50
F. M. Curtis, 64 Days' Use Truck..	377 00
Chas. Bates, 65 Days' Labor.....	252 25
Howard Baker, 6 Days' Labor....	24 00
Lincoln Bates, 67 Days' Labor....	259 25
Emery Dobson, 18 1-2 Days' Labor	73 00
A. C. Chisholm, 34 Days' Labor..	135 25
Alvan Spencer, 18 1-2 Days' Labor	88 15
Emery Winslow, 1-2 Day's Labor	2 00
Alfred Bates, 18 Days' Labor....	72 00
Alfred Bates, 16 Days' Use Car...	16 00
John Whalen, 17 1-2 Days' Use	
Team	157 50
Chas. Chamberlin, 5 Days' Labor..	20 00
Joseph Totman, 9 1-2 Days' Labor	38 00
Joseph Totman, 3 Days' Use Car..	6 00
E. M. Sexton, 24 1-2 Days' Labor.	98 00
F. M. Curtis, Cash Paid, Expenses	
Freight, Cartage and Supplies	25 61
Town of Scituate, Lime, Sulphur..	5 95
Joseph Totman, Carting.....	2 00
John H. Sparrell, Labor, Supplies	42 97
Pay Roll, Dec. 1922.....	54 00

\$ 2 167 43

Less Private Work	\$ 1 052 24
Less State Highway Work.....	80 70

Less Appropriation by Law.....	584 06	
Less Refund from State.....	450 43	
	<hr/>	\$ 2 167 43

FRED M. CURTIS
Moth Superintendent

Sealer of Weights and Measures

	ADJUSTED	SEALED
Platform Scales, over 5000 Lbs		1
Counter Scales		4
Beam Scales	1	6
Spring Balances	12	4
Computing Scales	2	4
Weights		35
Liquid Measures		48
Gasoline Pumps	4	10
Molasses Pumps		2
Yard Measures		3

Die and Matrix	\$ 4 65
Salary of Sealer	28 50

		\$ 33 15
Fees Received		6 58
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		\$ 26 57
Appropriation		50 00
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Balance		\$ 23 43

J. WARREN FOSTER

Sealer.

List of Jurors

List of persons qualified to serve as Jurors in the Town of Norwell from July 1, 1923 to July 1, 1924.

Appleford, Arthur E., Clerk.....	High Street
Apts, Herbert W., Plumber.....	Summer Street
Curtis, Fred M., Moth Superintendent.....	Central Street
Deane, Clifton S., Retired.....	River Street
Farrar, George R., Shoeworker	High Street
Ford, Henry C., Farmer	Main Street
Gooch, Adelbert A., Shoeworker.....	Washington Street
Henderson, Robert C., Shoeworker.....	Tiffany Road
Jackson, John T., Retired.....	Grove Street
Jacobs, Edwin Everett, Farmer.....	Main Street
Jones, Arthur C., Shoeworker.....	High Street
Leonard, Wm. J., Retired.....	Washington Street
Mackenzie, Wm. N., Carpenter.....	Washington Street
MacDonald, Robert W., Blacksmith.....	Main Street
Merritt, Harry S., Carpenter.....	Central Street
Sprague, Arthur H., Shoeworker.....	High Street
Studley, Frank E., Shoeworker.....	Washington Street
Tolman, Wm. C., Carpenter.....	River Street
Turner, George H., Farmer.....	Central Street
Whalen, John, Farmer.....	Central Street
Whiting, Alonzo B., Farmer.....	River Street
Wilder, Donald C., Shoeworker	High Street

Forest Fire Warden

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Arthur Coombs, Telephone and Express	\$ 1 65
Allen Lester, Cleaning Truck	4 00
Pinson Fire	13 00
Bates Fire	4 00
Mass. Dept. Conservation, Supplies	115 84
Hight Fire	1 75
J. H. Sparrell, Truck Storage	92 31
J. H. Sparrell, Labor and Material.	10 85
W. T. Osborn, Cleaning Truck ..	4 00
Briggs Fire	18 00
Briggs Fire, Town of Hanover	12 75
Ridge Hill Fire	181 94
Smith Fire	3 50
False Alarm	3 50
Tindale Fire	4 00
High Street Fire	80 50
Spencerian Fire	5 00
Sprague Fire	5 00
DeStephano Fire	5 50
Filling Extinguishers	4 00
Bert. Joseph, Cleaning and Repair- ing Truck	8 00

Phillips, Bates & Co., Supplies....	4 92	
Wm. D. Turner, Services	34 45	
	<hr/>	\$ 618 46
Appropriation		350 00
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Exceeded		\$ 268 46

JOHN T. OSBORN

Warden.

Tax Collector

ASSESSMENT OF 1920

Uncollected December 31, 1922..	\$ 1 495 63	
Interest Collected	137 93	
	<hr/>	\$ 1 633 56
Abatements	\$ 265 31	
Paid Treasurer	990 39	
Uncollected December 31, 1923..	377 86	
	<hr/>	\$ 1 633 56

ASSESSMENT OF 1921

Uncollected December 31, 1922...	\$7 375 33	
Interest Collected	401 66	
	<hr/>	\$ 7 776 99
Abatements	\$ 456 25	
Paid Treasurer	4 284 92	
Uncollected December 31, 1923..	3 035 82	
	<hr/>	\$ 7 776 99

ASSESSMENT OF 1922

Uncollected December 31, 1922....	\$15 668 06	
Interest Collected	417 63	
	<hr/>	\$16 085 69
Abatements	\$ 892 69	
Paid Treasurer	11 222 88	
Cash on Hand	20 00	
Uncollected December 31, 1923...	3 950 12	
	<hr/>	\$16 085 69

ASSESSMENT OF 1922

Polls Uncollected		\$ 30 00
Abated	\$ 20 00	
Paid Treasurer	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 30 00

ASSESSMENT OF 1923

Polls (Warrant Committed May 1, 1923)	\$ 2 490 00	
Interest Collected	1 91	
	<hr/>	\$ 2 491 91
Abated	\$ 141 00	
Paid Treasurer	2 290 91	
Uncollected	60 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 2 491 91
Tax Levy, September 1, 1923....	\$57 632 27	
Interest Collected	11 26	
	<hr/>	\$57 643 53
Abatements	\$ 1 025 45	
Paid Treasurer	38 917 50	
Uncollected December 31, 1923..	17 700 58	
	<hr/>	\$57 643 53

W. H. SPENCER

Collector.

Trustees Ridge Hill Public Library

RECEIVED

Balance	\$ 3 05	
Appropriation	50 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 53 05

PAID

Ginn and Co.	\$ 11 97	
DeWolfe and Fiske Co.	15 76	
Montgomery Ward	3 07	
Book Shop for Boys and Girls.....	9 13	
Berkeley Book Room	4 45	
Doubleday, Page Co.,	1 69	
Freight	54	
Fuel and Light	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 51 61
Balance		<hr/> \$ 1 44

Our total circulation for the year was 1544; 1295 fiction and 249 non-fiction.

This is somewhat less than last year which is due to the fact that the removal of two grades from District No. 1 to the Central School Building lessened our constituency.

We are as usual indebted to the State Library Commission, to the Women's Educational Union and the James Library for the generous loan of books, and to several individuals for gifts of books.

We have added about seventy-five volumes during the year, forty-five by gift and thirty by purchase. Our shelf room is taxed to capacity with our seven hundred and twenty five volumes and in order to make room for new books we are obliged to remove some of the old ones.

ALFRED H. PROUTY

WILLIAM J. LEONARD

WILLIAM O. PROUTY

Trustees.

Town Treasurer

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1923.

RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1923

General Funds, including Central

Street Appropriation\$ 2 831 14

Balance of Appropriation for Con-

struction of New High School 7 716 79

Income Sawyer Lot Fund 33 26

—————\$10 581 19

From William H. Spencer, Collector

Cash Received on Account of Assessments

Year 1920\$ 1 008 92

Year 1921 4 305 13

Year 1922 11 290 95

Year 1923 38 917 50

Polls 1922 10 00

Polls 1923 2 290 91

Abatements 2 810 21

—————\$60 633 62

Loans and Interest:

Loans in Anticipation of Revenue:

Anticipation Note No. 69\$10 000 00

Anticipation Note No. 70 10 000 00

Anticipation Note No. 71	10 000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 72	10 000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 73	10 000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 74	5 000 00	
Anticipation Note No. 75	5 000 00	
Interest on Deposit at Rockland Trust Co.	174 46	
	<hr/>	\$60 174 46

For School Purposes Only

Income Mass. School Fund	\$ 4 268 28	
Tuition of State Wards, Common- wealth of Massachusetts.....	67 51	
Comm. of Mass., Refund for Supt. of Schools	653 06	
County of Plymouth, Dog License Refund	219 28	
Income Tax, General School Fund	1 880 00	
High School Tuition Received from Commonwealth	1 035 71	
Walter T. Osborn, Refund Overpay- ment December, 1922.....	3 00	
Nellie L. Sparrell, Refund Tele- phone Calls	45	
Refund, Literary Digest	60	
Refund from W. S. Ross, Over- payment	11 03	
	<hr/>	\$ 8 138 92

From State

Refund for Construction of Central Street	\$ 5 883 55	
Corporation Tax, Public Service 1922	75 09	
Corporation Tax. Domestic	1 48	

Corporation Tax, Public Service..	731 86	
Corporation Tax, Business	317 65	
Sanatoria Subsidy	59 28	
Civilian War Poll Tax 1922	144 00	
Refund for Inspection of Animals	29 50	
Income Tax for Year 1921 and Prior	103 50	
Income Tax 1922	121 50	
Income Tax 1923	108 00	
Income Tax for General Purposes..	3 324 96	
Refund Highway Division	2 778 15	
National Bank Tax	268 00	
Refund Forestry Division	255 03	
State Aid Refund	1 170 00	
Soldiers' Exemption	221 91	
Income Sawyer Lot Fund	7 43	
		<hr/> \$15 600 89

Licenses and Fees

License 4683 D. Charles Gleason.. \$ 6 00

Second Class Auto Dealers' License

Harry W. Gardner	5 00
Wm. D. Jacobs	5 00
Wm. D. Turner	5 00

Victualer's License

Wm. H. Ilsley	2 00
F. R. Burnside	2 00
Theresa S. Phipps	2 00

Slaughtering License

Walter J. Wagner	1 00
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\$ 28 00

Sale of Lots in Cemetery

Fred W. Davis, Lot 32, Sec. A..	\$ 12 00	
Mrs. Augustus S. Hatch, Lot 68, Sec. B	10 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 22 00

Almshouse Receipts

Sale of Calf	\$ 18 54	
Sale of Milk, Eggs, etc	201 24	
Sale of Fowl	23 62	
Weighing Hay	10 38	
	<hr/>	\$ 253 78

Miscellaneous

Refund on Account of Clifton L. Crocker	\$ 51 74	
Refund from Beal and McCarthy, Overpayment	5 00	
Refund from Second District Court	205 68	
Refund from George F. Welch Co.	33 00	
Refund from Arthur Randall	4 50	
Refund from A. L. MacMillan....	30 00	
Refund from Henry T. Gunderway	30 00	
Fish Rights, Chas. S. Tilden.....	4 00	
Gifts from Mrs Gutterson and Mrs. Bacon	103 00	
Refund Hartford Fire Ins. Co., Ad- justment of Rates on School Building	20 00	
Plymouth County Hospital Refund	124 80	
Order Cancelled by Order of Se- lectmen	5 00	
Sale of Lead	20 66	

Refund from Plymouth County on Account of Central Street Con- struction	5 855 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 6 492 38
		<u> </u>
		\$161 925 24

EXPENDITURES

Highways

General Pay Roll	\$12 786 82	
Special Road Construction	4 723 57	
Snow	2 840 06	
	<u> </u>	\$20 350 45

Support of Poor

Almshouse	\$ 2 068 06	
Outside Poor, Norwell	1 690 59	
	<u> </u>	3 758 65
Schools	\$24 519 68	
Moth	2 113 43	
Incidentals	1 683 80	
	<u> </u>	\$28 316 91
State Aid	\$ 1 018 00	
Soldiers' Relief	233 00	
	<u> </u>	\$ 1 251 00
Town Officers	\$ 2 660 75	
Police Officers, Order Second Dis- trict Court	42 64	
	<u> </u>	\$ 2 703 39

Taxes

Corporation Tax, Business	\$ 5 37
Corporation Tax, Public Service..	8 05
County of Plymouth, Tax	2 777 51

State Tax	3 240 00	
Civilian War Poll Tax	1 491 00	
		<hr/> \$ 7 521 93

Sundry Accounts

Board of Health	\$ 745 60
Fires	618 46
Nurse	1 200 00
Washington Street Cemetery	75 00
Parks, Squares and Triangles	216 75
Aid to Agriculture	100 00
Ridge Hill Library	50 00
James Library	200 00
Mowing Bushes	302 50
Town Hall	106 59
Post 112, G. A. R.	250 00
Tree Warden	38 50
Furnishings for School Building..	1 440 80
Repairs State Highway	213 80
Union Bridge (Final Payment) ..	2 000 00
School Physician	200 00
Legion Rental	75 00
Plymouth County Hospital	498 77
Electric Lights	529 87
Abatement of Taxes	2 810 21
New England Road Machinery Co.	400 00

Special Appropriation for Fence
at Jacob's Pond

Lumber	33 75
Labor	50 25
Sealer of Weights and Measures..	26 57
Construction of Central School Building	7 782 04
	<hr/> \$19 964 46

Maturing Loans Paid

Loans in Anticipation of Revenue

Anticipation Note 38	\$10 000 00
Anticipation Notes 39 and 40.....	10 000 00
Anticipation Note 60	10 000 00
Anticipation Note 69	10 000 00
Anticipation Note 70	10 000 00
Anticipation Note 71	10 000 00
School Building 1st Bond	2 000 00
River Street Note No. 9	4 000 00
Hospital Note No. 23	500 00
Central Street Note No. 31	1 000 00
Central Street Note No. 60	1 000 00
	<hr/> \$68 500 00

Interest and Discount

Interest on School Bonds	\$ 1 700 00
Interest on Central Streets Notes	
61—65	218 75
Interest on Central Streets Notes	
31—34	215 00
Interest on River Street Notes....	495 00
Interest on Hospital Notes	158 15
	<hr/> \$ 2 786 90
Discount on Anticipation Note 69	\$ 328 35
Discount on Anticipation Note 70	349 44
Discount on Anticipation Note	
71—72	671 75
Discount on Anticipation Note 73	332 50
Discount on Anticipation Note 74	135 97
Discount on Anticipation Note 75	131 25
	<hr/> \$ 1 949 26
Cost of Certifying Above Notes	14 00

Cash on Hand to Balance

General Funds	\$ 4 396 85
*Unexpended Balance of Appropriation for Construction of Central School Building	361 65
Balance of Appropriation for Furnishings and Fittings for Central School	9 20
Income Sawyer Lot Fund	40 59
	<hr/> \$ 4 808 29
	<hr/> \$161 925 24

*Certain gifts and premium on sale of School House Bonds, with accrued interest, have been credited to above account, all charges against same having been made by order of the Selectmen.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT E. ROBBINS

Treasurer.

STATEMENT OF TOWN DEBT

December 31, 1923

NOTES

PURPOSE OF ISSUE	NO.	AMOUNT	RATE	DATE OF ISSUE	MATURITY
River Street Construction	10	\$ 4000	5.50	June 1, 1920	June 1, 1924
River Street Construction	11	3000	5.50	June 1, 1920	June 1, 1925
Plymouth County Hospital	24	500	5.75	June 1, 1921	June 1, 1924
Plymouth County Hospital	25	500	5.75	June 1, 1921	June 1, 1925
Plymouth County Hospital	26	500	5.75	June 1, 1921	June 1, 1926
Plymouth County Hospital	27	500	5.75	June 1, 1921	June 1, 1927
Plymouth County Hospital	28	500	5.75	June 1, 1921	June 1, 1928
Central Street Construction	32	1000	5.375	Oct. 1, 1921	Oct. 1, 1924
Central Street Construction	33	1000	5.375	Oct. 1, 1921	Oct. 1, 1925
Central Street Construction	34	1000	5.375	Oct. 1, 1921	Oct. 1, 1926
Central Street 2nd Issue	62	1000	4.375	Nov. 1, 1922	Nov. 1, 1924
Central Street 2nd Issue	63	1000	4.375	Nov. 1, 1922	Nov. 1, 1925
Central Street 2nd Issue	64	1000	4.375	Nov. 1, 1922	Nov. 1, 1926
Central Street 2nd Issue	65	1000	4.375	Nov. 1, 1922	Nov. 1, 1927

PURPOSE OF ISSUE	NO.	AMOUNT	RATE	DATE OF ISSUE	MATURITY
Central School Building	42—60	38000	4.25	July 15, 1922	July 15, '24—'42
Anticipation of Revenue	72	10000	4.47	April 15, 1923	Jan. 15, 1924
Anticipation of Revenue	73	10000	4.50	May 25, 1923	Feb. 15, 1924
Anticipation of Revenue	74	5000	4.45	July 10, 1923	Feb. 15, 1924
Anticipation of Revenue	75	5000	4.50	Aug. 20, 1923	Mar. 15, 1924
Total Indebtedness		<u>\$84500</u>			

HERBERT E. ROBBINS
Treasurer.

Highway Surveyor

SALARIES FOR LABOR ON THE HIGHWAY

To May 1st.

Man	\$ 3 50
Man and Team	8 00
Man and Horse	6 00

After May 1st

Man	\$ 4 00
Man and Team	9 00
Man and Horse	6 75

Large Truck	\$20 00
Small Truck	7 00
Highway Surveyor	4 50

MAIN STREET

Walter T. Osborn, 17 1-4 Days ...	\$ 77 62
Large Truck, 8 1-2 Days 1 Hour	172 50
Small Truck 9 1-4 Days	66 75
One Team 4 Days	19 50
Two Teams 13 1-2 Days	135 00
Three Teams 1 Day	15 00
John T. Osborn 17 1-4 Days 5	
Hours	71 69
Perry H. Osborn 2 1-2 Days 5	
Hours	12 19
Perry H. Osborn and Team 6 Days	53 00

Cecil Babbitt 11 7-8 Days	47 25
George A. Beach 8 3-4 Days	34 50
Joseph Briggs and Team 9 3-4 Days	87 75
Berger Mfg. Co., Culverts	27 00
Arthur F. Henderson and Team	
15 1-2 Days	139 50
Arthur E. Jackman 11 3-4 Days ..	46 75
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 9 1-2 Days..	37 50
A. Maxwell, Gravel	17 55
Walter F. Oakman 4 1-2 Days	18 00
Wesley Osborne 5 1-2 Days	22 00
John F. Osborne and Team 8 1-2	
Days	76 50
Everett W. Osborne 9 3-4 Days ..	39 00
John Prince 16 Days	63 25
Bert I. Richardson and Team	
15 1-2 Days	139 50
Joseph F. Totman 7 Days	28 00
Alfred A. Bates 1-4 Day	1 00
Thomas Cann 1-4 Day	1 00
George Chamberlain 3 Days	12 00
J. Warren Foster 7 3-4 Days 6	
Hours	33 62
Emery Dobson 1-4 Day	1 00
George Dobson 1-4 Day	1 00
John H. Gunderway 2 1-4 Days....	9 00
Robert N. Leavitt 5 Days	19 75
Benjamin Loring and Team 7 1-2	
Days	67 50
Lincoln Masuer 1 Day	4 00
John Pinkham 1 1-2 Days	6 00
Lawrence Sylvester 2 1-4 Days..	9 00
Bernard Schultz 1 1-2 Days	6 00
Walter J. Wagner 9 1-2 Days	38 00
George White 9 1-4 Days	37 00

Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	54 75
A. J. Mitchell, crushed stone....	9 85
Barrett Co., K. P. Patching and Tarvia B	1 206 03
	<hr/> \$ 2 963 80

RIVER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 4 Days	\$ 18 00
Large Truck 7 Days	140 00
Small Truck 7 1-2 Days	52 50
One Team 4 1-2 Days	22 50
Two Teams 5 1-4 Days	52 50
Three Teams 1 Day	15 00
John T. Osborn 12 Days	47 75
Perry H. Osborn and Team 2 Days	18 00
Cecil Babbitt 7 1-4 Days	29 00
Alfred A. Bates 2 1-2 Days	10 00
Mrs. Emma A. Bates, Gravel.....	7 95
George A. Beach 6 Days	24 00
Joseph Briggs and Team 6 1-2 Days	58 50
Berger Mfg. Co., Culvert.....	14 80
Thomas Cann 1 1-2 Days	6 00
George Chamberlain 2 Days	8 00
J. Warren Foster 7 1-2 Days	30 00
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 14 3-4 Days	132 75
Daniel Hill 1 Day	4 00
Arthur E. Jackman 5 1-4 Days	21 00
Robert N. Leavitt 5 3-4 Days....	23 00
Benjamin Loring and Team 5 1-2 Days	49 50
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day	4 00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 5 1-4 Days..	21 00
Everett W. Osborne 3 1-2 Days....	14 00

John F. Osborne and Team 6 1-4	
Days	56 25
Walter F. Oakman 3 1-4 Days ..	13 00
John Prince 9 1-4 Days	37 00
John Pinkham 2 Days	8 00
Lawrence Sylvester 2 Days	8 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 9 3-4	
Days	87 75
Bernard Schultz 1 Day	4 00
Joseph F. Totman 7 1-2 Days	30 00
Walter J. Wagner 4 3-4 Days	19 00
George White 9 3-4 Days	39 00
Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Gravel....	13 20
Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	19 75
A. J. Mitchell, Crushed Stone	7 00
Barrett Co., K. P. Patching and	
Tarvia B.	1 015 94
	<hr/> \$ 2 181 64

MT. HOPE STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 1-6 Days	\$ 5 25
One Team 1-2 Day	2 50
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2 Day	4 50
George Chamberlain 1 1-6 Days ..	4 67
Frank Cushing 1 1-6 Days	4 67
J. Warren Foster 1 1-6 Days	4 67
Daniel Hill 1 1-6 Days	4 67
Caleb Litchfield 1 1-6 Days	4 67
George White 1 1-6 Days	4 67
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 1-6	
Days	7 88
Lyman W. Lincoln and Horse 1-2	
Day	3 37
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1-2 Day	2 00
John Prince 1-2 Day	2 00

Bert I. Richardson and Team 4 2-3		
Days	42	00
Bert I. Richardson, Gravel	1	50
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		\$ 99 02

SOUTH STREET

Walter T. Osborn 12 5-6 Days....	\$ 57	75
Large Truck 1 3-4 Days	35	00
Small Truck 2 1-4 Days	15	75
One Team 2 1-4 Days	11	25
Two Teams 9 Days.....	89	00
Three Teams 1 Day	15	00
John T. Osborn 11 1-2 Days	46	00
Donald Anthony 7 Days	28	00
Cecil Babbitt 4 Days	16	00
Charles H. Baker 11 Days	44	00
Alfred A. Bates 5-6 Day	3	33
George A. Beach	25	00
Joseph Briggs and Team 11 Days	99	00
George Chamberlain 5-6 Day	3	33
Frank Cushing 1-2 Day	2	00
Julius Cohan 3 Days	12	00
Harold Francis 5 Days	20	00
Henry T. Gunderway 2 Days.....	8	00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 5-6		
Day	5	62
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 11		
Days	99	00
Lloyd B. Henderson 5 Days	20	00
Daniel Hill 5-6 Day	3	33
Arthur E. Jackman 3 1-2 Days....	14	00
Caleb Litchfield 5-6 Day	3	33
Benjamin Loring and Team 11		
Days	99	00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1 Day.....	4	00

Walter F. Oakman 1 Day	4 00
Wesley Osborne 12 Days	48 00
John F. Osborne and Team 11 Days	99 00
John Prince 1 1-4 Days	4 50
Bert I. Richardson and Team 12 5-8	
Days 3 Hours	116 63
Joseph F. Totman 10 Days	40 00
George White 5-6 Day	3 33
Lawrence Soule 1 Day	3 50
Walter J. Wagner 1 Day	3 50
	<hr/> \$ 1 101 15

LINCOLN STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 1-2 Days.....	\$ 6 75
Large Truck 7-8 Day	17 50
One Team 1-4 Day	1 25
John T. Osborn 1 1-2 Days.....	6 00
Cecil Babbitt 1 1-2 Days	6 00
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00
George Chamberlain 1 1-2 Days ..	6 00
Frank Cushing 1 1-2 Days	6 00
J. Warren Foster 3-4 Day	3 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 1-2	
Days	10 13
Daniel Hill 1 1-2 Days	6 00
Arthur E. Jackman 1-4 Day	1 00
Caleb Litchfield 1 1-2 Days	6 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 3 3-8	
Days	30 38
George White 1 1-2 Days	6 00
John Prince 1-4 Day	1 00
	<hr/> \$ 114 01

PROSPECT STREET

Walter T. Osborn 10 1-2 Days 2	
Hours	\$ 48 25
Large Truck 2 1-8 Days	42 50
Small Truck 1 Day	7 00
One Team 4 1-2 Days	22 50
Two Teams 2 Days	20 00
John T. Osborn 2 1-2 Days	10 00
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2	
Day 2 Hours	6 50
Donald Anthony 1 Day	4 00
Cecil Babbitt 2 1-2 Days	10 00
Charles H. Baker 9 Days	36 00
Alfred A. Bates 3 1-2 Days	14 00
Joseph Briggs and Team 9 Days...	81 00
George Chamberlain 1 1-2 Days 2	
Hours	6 89
J. Warren Foster 1 1-2 Days 2	
Hours	6 89
Robert N. Leavitt 1-2 Day	2 00
Harold Francis 6 Days	24 00
Henry T. Gunderway 9 Days	36 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 1-2	
Days	10 13
Arthur F. Henderson and Team	
9 1-2 Days	85 50
Lloyd Henderson 4 Days	16 00
Daniel Hill 2 1-2 Days 2 Hours....	10 89
Arthur E. Jackman 1-2 Day	2 00
Caleb Litchfield 2 1-2 Days 2 Hours	10 89
Benjamin Loring and Team 9 Days	81 00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 3 Days.....	12 00
Wesley Osborne 9 Days	36 00
John F. Osborne and Team 9 Days	81 00

Bert I. Richardson and Team 12 1-8		
Days 2 Hours	111	13
Joseph F. Totman 1-2 Day	2	00
George White 2 1-2 Days 2 Hours	10	89
John Pinkham 5 Days	20	00
Walter J. Wagner 1-2 Day	2	00
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		\$ 868 96

TIFFANY ROAD

Walter T. Osborn 5 Hours	\$ 2	50
Large Truck 5 Hours	11	11
One Team 1-4 Day	1	25
John T. Osborn 5 Hours	2	22
Cecil Babbitt 5 Hours	2	22
Alfred A. Bates 5 Hours	2	22
George Chamberlain 5 Hours	2	22
Frank Cushing 5 Hours	2	22
Daniel Hill 5 Hours	2	22
Robert N. Leavitt 5 Hours	2	22
Caleb Litchfield 5 Hours	2	22
Joseph Totman 5 Hours	2	22
George White 5 Hours	2	22
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 5		
Hours	3	75
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1	00
John Prince 1-4 Day	1	00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 7-8		
Day 5 Hours	12	87
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		\$ 55 68

NORWELL AVENUE

Walter T. Osborn 4 Days	\$ 18	00
Small Truck 2 1-2 Days	17	50
Man and Team 1 Day	8	00

One Team 1 2-3 Days'	8 33
Two Teams 2 1-2 Days	22 50
John T. Osborn 2 Days	7 00
Perry H. Osborn 1-2 Day	1 75
Perry H. Osborn and Team 4 1-6 Days	34 00
George A. Beach 3 1-2 Days	10 75
Alfred A. Bates 2-3 Day	2 67
George Chamberlain 2-3 Day	2 67
Frank Cushing 2-3 Day	2 67
J. Warren Foster 2-3 Day	2 67
Daniel Hill 2-3 Day	2 67
Caleb Litchfield 2-3 Day	2 67
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2-3 Day	4 50
John Prince 1 2-3 Days	6 67
Bert I. Richardson and Team 5-8 Day	5 63
George White 2-3 Day	2 67
Arthur E. Jackman 3 Days	10 50
Robert N. Leavitt 2 1-2 Days....	8 75
Lawrence Soule 3 1-2 Days.....	12 25
Walter J. Wagner 2 1-2 Days....	8 75
Lloyd B. Henderson 1-2 Day	1 75
Carlton O. Litchfield and Team 3 1-2 Days	28 00
Lyman W. Lincoln and Horse 2 1-2 Days	15 00
Ernest Lewis, Gravel	10 32
Joseph D. Meuse, 1 1-2 Days	5 25

 \$ 263 89

MT. BLUE STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 7-12 Days....	\$ 7 13
Large Truck 1-8 Day	2 50

Small Truck 3 1-2 Days	24 50
One Team 3-4 Day	3 75
Two Teams 1-2 Day	4 50
John T. Osborn 1 1-4 Days	4 50
Perry H. Osborn 1 Day	8 50
Cecil Babbitt 1 1-4 Days	5 00
George A. Beach 3-4 Day	2 75
George Chamberlain 1 1-12 Days ..	4 33
Frank Cushing 1 1-12 Days	4 33
J. Warren Foster 1 1-12 Days	4 33
Daniel Hill 1 1-12 Days	4 33
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 1-12 Day	7 31
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day	4 00
Lyman W. Lincoln and Horse 1 Day	6 38
Caleb Litchfield 1 1-2 Days	4 33
Lloyd B. Henderson 1-2 Day	1 75
Robert N. Leavitt 1-2 Day	1 75
Carlton O. Litchfield and Team 1-2 Day	4 00
Ernest Lewis, Gravel	1 56
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1 3-4 Days...	6 50
Walter F. Oakman 1-2 Day	2 00
John Prince 3-4 Day	3 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 3 5-6 Days	34 50
Lawrence Soule 1 1-2 Days	5 25
Joseph F. Totman 1-2 Day	2 00
Walter J. Wagner 1-2 Day	1 75
George White 1 1-12 Days	4 33

\$ 170 86

HIGH AND OAK STREETS

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	\$ 4 50
Large Truck 2 Days	40 00
Small Truck 4 Days	28 00
Two Teams 3 Days.....	30 00
John T. Osborn 5 Days	20 00
Perry H. Osborn 1 Day	4 00
Perry H. Osborn and Team 2 Days	18 00
Cecil Babbitt 2 Days	8 00
George A. Beach 1 1-2 Days	6 00
Joseph Briggs and Team 3 Days..	27 00
George Chamberlain 3 Days.....	12 00
J. Warren Foster 4 Days	16 00
Mrs. Mary Farrar, Gravel	12 00
John H. Gunderway 1 Day	4 00
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 3	
Days	27 00
Robert N. Leavitt 3 Days	12 00
Benjamin Loring and Team 2 1-2	
Days	22 50
A. Maxwell, Gravel	4 05
A. J. Mitchell, Crushed Stone	7 00
Everett W. Osborne 4 Days	16 00
John Prince 4 Days	16 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 3	
Days	27 00
Bernard Schultz 2 Days	8 00
Lawrence Sylvester 1 Day	4 00
Joseph F. Totman 1 Day	4 00
Walter J. Wagner 4 Days	16 00
George White 5 Days	20 00
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day	4 00
Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	1 00
Barrett Co., K. P. Patching and	
Tarvia B	558 06

 \$ 976 11

SUMMER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2 Days	\$ 9 00
Large Truck 4 3-4 Days	95 00
Small Truck 6 3-4 Days	47 25
Ore Team 2 1-4 Days	11 25
Two Teams 1 Day	10 00
John T. Osborn 4 1-4 Days	17 00
Perry H. Osborn 1 Day	4 00
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2 Day	4 50
Cecil Babbitt 5 1-4 Days.....	21 00
Alfred A. Bates 2 Days	8 00
George A. Beach 2 Days	8 00
Thomas Cann 1 1-2 Days	6 00
George Chamberlain 1-2 Day	2 00
J. Warren Foster 1 3-4 Days	7 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1-2 Day	3 38
Daniel Hill 1-2 Day	2 00
Arthur E. Jackman 3-4 Day	3 00
Caleb Litchfield 1-2 Day	2 00
Andrew J. Litchfield, Gravel	8 10
Robert N. Leavitt 1-4 Day	1 00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 2 3-4 Days..	11 00
Walter F. Oakman 2 Days	8 00
John Prince 3 3-4 Days	15 00
John Pinkham 1 Day	4 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 5 1-2 Days	49 50
Lawrence Sylvester 2 Days	8 00
Joseph F. Totman 4 Days	16 00
Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	5 00
Walter J. Wagner 1-2 Day	2 00
George White 1 3-4 Days	7 00
A. J. Mitchell, Crushed Stone	6 00

Barrett Co., K. P. Patching and		
Tarvia B.	381 15	
		\$ 782 13

JACOBS AVENUE

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	\$ 4 50	
Large Truck 3-4 Day	15 00	
Small Truck 1-2 Day	3 50	
One Team 1-2 Day	2 50	
John T. Osborn 1 Day	4 00	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2 Day	4 50	
Cecil Babbitt 1 Day	4 00	
George Chamberlain 1 Day	4 00	
J. Warren Foster 1 Day	4 00	
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 1-2		
Day	4 50	
Daniel Hill 1 Day	4 00	
Robert N. Leavitt 1-2 Day	2 00	
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day	4 00	
Bert. I. Richardson and Team		
2 Days	18 00	
Joseph F. Totman 1-2 Day	2 00	
Walter J. Wagner 1-2 Day	2 00	
George White 1 Day	4 00	
		\$ 86 50

GROVE STREET

Walter T. Osborn 8 Days 1 Hour	\$ 36 50
Large Truck 1 1-8 Days 1 Hour	24 72
Small Truck 1 Day	7 00
One Team 4 3-4 Days	23 75
Two Teams 1 Day	10 00
Cecil Babbitt 2 Days 1 Hour....	8 44
Charles H. Baker 5 Days	20 00

Alfred A. Bates 4 1-2 Days 1 Hour	18 44
George A. Beach 3-4 Day	3 00
Joseph Briggs and Team 5 Days...	45 00
George Chamberlain 3 1-2 Days 1 Hour	14 44
Frank Cushing 1 1-2 Days	6 00
J. Warren Foster 3 1-2 Days 1 Hour	14 44
Harold Francis 2 Days	8 00
Henry T. Gunderway 4 Days	16 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 4 1-6 Days 1 Hour	28 87
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 5 Days	45 00
Daniel Hill 3 1-2 Days 1 Hour	14 44
Arthur E. Jackman 1 1-2 Days....	6 00
Robert N. Leavitt 1 Day 1 Hour ..	4 44
Caleb Litchfield 3 1-2 Days 1 Hour	14 44
Benjamin Loring and Team 5 Days	45 00
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1 1-4 Days ..	5 00
Wesley Osborne 1 Day.....	4 00
John F. Osborne and Team 5 Days	45 00
John Prince 1 3-4 Days	7 00
John Pinkham 5 Days	20 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 9 1-8 Days 1 Hour	83 12
Joseph F. Totman 11-2 Days	6 00
George White 3 1-2 Days 1 Hour	14 44
John T. Osborn 2 1-2 Days 1 Hour	10 44
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2 Day	4 50
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	\$ 613 42

BOWKER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	\$ 4 50
Large Truck 2 Hours	5 00
Two Teams 1 Day	10 00

Cecil Babbitt 1-4 Day	1 00	
Arthur F. Henderson and Team 1 Day	9 00	
Arthur E. Jackman 1-4 Day	1 00	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1 Day	4 00	
Walter F. Oakman 1 Day	4 00	
John F. Osborne and Team 1 Day ..	9 00	
John Prince 1 Day	4 00	
Bert I. Richardson and Team 1 Day	9 00	
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		\$ 60 50

CEDAR STREET

Walter T. Osborn One Team 7-12 Day	\$ 2 92	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 7-12 Day	5 25	
Alfred A. Bates 7-12 Day	2 33	
J. Warren Foster 7-12	2 33	
Daniel Hill 7-12 Day	2 33	
Caleb Litchfield 7-12 Day	2 33	
John Prince 7-12 Day	2 33	
George White 7-12 Day	2 33	
George Chamberlain 1-3 Day	1 33	
Frank Cushing 1-3 Day	1 33	
Bert I. Richardson and Team 1 Day	9 00	
Berger Mfg. Co., Culvert	19 80	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 7-12 Day	3 94	
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		\$ 57 55

WINTER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 4 1-3 Days	\$ 19 50
Small Truck 1-2 Day	3 50
One Team 3 1-12 Days	14 38
Two Teams 3 Days	27 00
Gravel	8 16
Perry H. Osborn and Team 4 7-12 Days	36 67
George A. Beach 2 5-6 Days	11 67
George Chamberlain 1 7-12 Days ..	5 55
Frank Cushing 1 1-12 Days	3 80
J. Warren Foster 2 1-12 Days	7 30
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2 1-12 Days	12 50
Daniel Hill 2 1-12 Days	7 30
Arthur E. Jackman 3 1-2 Days	12 50
George A. Jackman 7-12 Day	2 05
Caleb Litchfield 1 1-12 Days	3 80
John Prince 4 1-2 Days	16 25
Henry L. Stoddard 1 7-12 Days ..	5 55
George White 2 1-12 Days	7 30
Rebert N. Leavitt 3 Days	10 50
Lawrence Soule 3 Days	10 50
Walter J. Wagner 3 Days	10 50
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1-3 Day	1 17
Lloyd B. Henderson 3 Days	10 50
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	\$ 247 95

CROSS STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	\$ 4 50
One Team 2 1-4 Days	10 50
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1 3-4 Days	14 25
Alfred A. Bates 1-4 Day	1 00

George A. Beach 2-3 Day	2 33	
George Chamberlain 1 Day	3 50	
Frank Cushing 1 1-2 Days	5 25	
J. Warren Foster 1 3-4 Days	6 25	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 3-4 Days	10 69	
Daniel Hill 1 3-4 Days	6 25	
Caleb Litchfield 1 3-4 Days	6 25	
George White 1 3-4 Days	6 25	
Arthur E. Jackman 1-2 Day	2 00	
George A. Jackman 1 Day	3 50	
Henry L. Stoddard 1 Day	3 50	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 2-3 Day	2 33	
John Prince 1 1-4 Days	4 75	
		\$ 93 10

WEST STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1-2 Day	\$ 2 25
Large Truck 1-4 Day	5 00
Small Truck 1-2 Day	3 50
One Team 1-2 Day	2 37
Two Teams 1-4 Day	2 50
John T. Osborn 1-2 Day	2 00
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-4 Day	2 00
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00
George Chamberlain 1-4 Day	87
J. Warren Foster 1-4 Day	87
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1-4 Day	1 50
Arthur E. Jackman 1-2 Day	2 00
George A. Jackman 1-4 Day	87
Caleb Litchfield 1-4 Day	87
Walter F. Oakman 1-4 Day	1 00
John Prince 1-2 Day	2 00

Bert I. Richardson and Team	
1-4 Day	2 25
Henry L. Stoddard 1-4 Day	87
George White 1-2 Day	1 87
Cecil Babbitt 1-4 Day	1 00
Walter J. Wagner 1-4 Day	1 00
Barrett Co., K. P. Patching and Tarvia B.	70 00
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	\$ 107 59

PLEASANT STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours	\$ 14 50
Large Truck 1-2 Day	10 00
One Team 1-2 Day	2 50
John T. Osborn 1 Day	4 00
Cecil Babbitt 1 Day	4 00
Alfred A. Bates 2-3 Day	2 67
George A. Beach 2 Days 5 Hours..	10 22
George Chamberlain 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours	12 89
Frank Cushing 2 Days	8 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours	21 75
Daniel Hill 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours ..	12 89
Caleb Litchfield 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours	12 89
J. Foster Merritt, Jr., 5 Hours	2 22
John Prince 1-2 Day	2 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 5 1-24 Days 5 Hours	50 38
George White 2 2-3 Days 5 Hours	12 89
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	\$ 183 80

CIRCUIT STREET

Walter T. Osborn 5-6 Day	\$ 3 75
Large Truck 1-2 Day	10 00
Small Truck 1-4 Day	1 75
One Team 1-4 Day	1 25
John T. Osborn 5-6 Day	3 33
Cecil Babbitt 5-6 Day	3 33
Alfred A. Bates 5-6 Day	3 33
George Chamberlain 5-6 Day	3 33
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 5-6 Day	5 62
Daniel Hill 5-6 Day	3 33
Caleb Litchfield 5-6 Day	3 33
George White 5-6 Day	3 33
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00
Frank Cushing 1-2 Day	2 00
Robert N. Leavitt 1-3 Day	1 33
Joseph F. Totman 1-3 Day	1 33
John Prince 1-4 Day	1 00
Bert I. Richardson and Team 1 17-24 Days	15 37

 \$ 67 71

COMMON STREET

Walter T. Osborn 3-4 Day	\$ 3 38
Large Truck 9-16 Day	11 25
One Team 1-4 Day	1 25
John T. Osborn 3-4 Day	3 00
Cecil Babbitt 3-4 Day	3 00
Alfred A. Bates 3-4 Day	3 00
George Chamberlain 3-4 Day	3 00
Daniel Hill 3-4 Day	3 00
Robert N. Leavitt 3-4 Day	3 00
Caleb Litchfield 3-4 Day	3 00

Joseph F. Totman 3-4 Day	3 00	
George White 3-4 Day	3 00	
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 3-4 Day	5 06	
John Prince 1-4 Day	1 00	
Bert I. Richardson and Team 1 1-8 Days	10 12	
		\$ 60 06

PINE STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2 5-12 Days....	\$ 10 87	
Large Truck 11-16 Day 3 Hours	21 25	
Small Truck 1-4 Day	1 75	
One Team 1-4 Day	1 25	
Two Teams 1 Day	9 00	
Three Teams 1-2 Day	6 75	
John T. Osborn 11-12 Day	3 67	
Cecil Babbitt 2 7-24 Days	9 17	
Alfred A. Bates 11-12 Day	3 67	
George A. Beach 3-4 Day	2 75	
George Chamberlain 11-12 Day ..	3 67	
Daniel Hill 11-12 Day	3 67	
Caleb Litchfield 11-12 Day	3 67	
Joseph F. Totman 11-12 Day	3 67	
George White 11-12 Day	3 67	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 11-12 Day	6 19	
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day 3 Hours	5 50	
Robert N. Leavitt 1 11-12 Days ..	7 67	
John Prince 1 3-4 Days	6 25	
Bert I. Richardson and Team 2 1-6 Days	19 50	
Henry L. Stoddard 1 1-2 Days	5 25	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1-2 Day....	1 75	

Walter J. Wagner 1-2 Day	1 75	
Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Gravel ..	1 95	
		<hr/> \$ 144 29

GREEN STREET

Walter T. Osborn 3 1-2 Days 2		
Hours	\$ 16 75	
Large Truck 2 Hours	4 45	
Small Truck 3-4 Day	5 25	
Man and Team 1-2 Day	4 00	
One Team 1 1-3 Days	6 67	
Two Teams 1 Day	9 00	
Three Teams 1-2 Day	6 75	
John T. Osborn 1 Day 2 Hours...	4 89	
Cecil Babbitt 1 Day 2 Hours	4 89	
Alfred A. Bates 2 Hours	89	
George A. Beach 1 1-2 Days	5 75	
George Chamberlain 1 Day 2 Hours	4 89	
Frank Cushing 1 Day	4 00	
J. Warren Foster 1-2 Day 2 Hours	2 89	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse		
1 Day 2 Hours	8 25	
Daniel Hill 1 Day 2 Hours	4 89	
Arthur E. Jackman 1-3 Day.....	1 34	
Robert N. Leavitt 2 Hours.....	89	
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day 2 Hours....	4 89	
John Prince 2 5-6 Days	10 58	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
2 Hours	2 00	
George White 1 Day 2 Hours	4 89	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1-2 Day	1 75	
Henry L. Stoddard 1-2 Day	1 75	
Walter J. Wagner 1 1-2 Days	5 25	
Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Gravel ...	3 00	
		<hr/> \$ 130 55

CHURCH STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2 Hours	\$ 1 00
Large Truck 2 Hours	4 44
One Team 1-4 Day	1 25
John T. Osborn 2 Hours	89
Cecil Babbitt 2 Hours	89
Alfred A. Bates 2 Hours	89
George Chamberlain 2 Hours	89
Frank Cushing 2 Hours	89
Daniel Hill 2 Hours	89
Robert N. Leavitt 2 Hours	89
Caleb Litchfield 2 Hours	89
Joseph F. Totman 2 Hours	89
George White 2 Hours	89
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2 Hours	1 50
Bert I. Richardson and Team 2 Hours	2 00
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00
John Prince 1-4 Day	1 00
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	\$ 21 09

STETSON ROAD

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	\$ 4 50
Large Truck 3-4 Day	15 00
One Team 1-3 Day	1 66
John T. Osborn 1 Day	4 00
Cecil Babbitt 1 Day	4 00
Alfred A. Bates 1 Day	4 00
George Chamberlain 1 Day	4 00
Frank Cushing 1 Day	4 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 Day	6 75
Robert N. Leavitt 1-2 Day	2 00
Arthur E. Jackman 1-3 Day	1 33

Daniel Hill 1 Day	4 00	
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day	4 00	
John Prince 1-3 Day	1 34	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
1 1-2 Days	13 50	
George White 1 Day	4 00	
Berger Mfg. Co., Culvert	14 95	
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		\$ 93 03

POND STREET

Walter T. Osborn 6 Hours	\$ 3 00	
Large Truck 1-2 Day 6 Hours	23 33	
Small Truck 3 Days	21 00	
John T. Osborn 1-2 Day 6 Hours ..	4 67	
Alfred A. Bates 6 Hours	2 67	
George Chamberlain 6 Hours	2 67	
J. Warren Foster 6 Hours	2 67	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 6		
Hours	4 50	
Daniel Hill 6 Hours	2 67	
Caleb Litchfield 6 Hours	2 67	
George White 6 Hours	2 67	
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day	4 00	
Robert N. Leavitt 2 Days 6 Hours	10 67	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
1 1-2 Days 6 Hours	19 50	
Joseph F. Totman 3 Days	12 00	
Cecil Babbitt 1 1-6 Days	4 67	
William Loring, Gravel	6 25	
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		\$ 129 61

BARSTOW AVENUE

Walter T. Osborn 2 Hours	\$1 00
Small Truck 1 Day	7 00

Large Truck 5 1-2 Days 3 Hours	119 45
One Team 1-3 Day	1 67
John T. Osborn 2 Hours	89
Alfred A. Bates 2 Hours	89
Frank Cushing 2 Hours	89
George Chamberlain 2 Hours	89
Daniel Hill 2 Hours	89
Caleb Litchfield 2 Hours	89
George White 2 Hours	89
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2 Hours	1 50
Robert N. Leavitt 1 Day 2 Hours	4 89
Joseph F. Totman 1 Day 2 Hours ..	4 89
Bert I. Richardson and Team 2 Hours	2 00
John Prince 1-3 Day	1 33
Arthur E. Jackman 5 7-12 Days ..	24 33
Cecil Babbitt 5 3-4 Days 2 Hours	23 89
	<hr/> \$ 198 18

BRIDGE STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2 Days	\$ 9 00
One Team 1 1-4 Days	6 00
Two Teams 1 Day	9 00
Gravel	2 04
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1 Day	8 00
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00
George Chamberlain 1-2 Day	1 75
J. Warren Foster 1-2 Day	1 75
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1-2 Day	3 00
Arthur E. Jackman 1-4 Day	1 00
George A. Jackman 1-2 Day	1 75
Caleb Litchfield 1-2 Day	1 75

John Prince 1 3-4 Days	6 50	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
7 1-2 Days	67 50	
Henry L. Stoddard 1-2 Day	1 75	
George White 1-2 Day	1 75	
Lawrence Soule 1 Day	3 50	
Walter J. Wagner 1 Day	3 50	
Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	6 00	
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CENTRAL STREET APPROACHES

Walter T. Osborn 1-2 Day	\$ 2 25	
Large Truck 1-2 Day	10 00	
Small Truck 1-2 Day	3 50	
John T. Osborn 1-2 Day	2 00	
Cecil Babbitt 1-2 Day	2 00	
'Arthur E. Jackman 1-2 Day	2 00	
Robert N. Leavitt 1-2 Day	2 00	
A. J. Mitchell, crushed stone.....	339 55	
	<hr/>	\$ 363 30

DOVER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1-4 Day	\$ 1 13	
One Team 1-2 Day	2 38	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-4		
Day	2 00	
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00	
George Chamberlain 1-4 Day	88	
J. Warren Foster 1-4 Day	88	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1-4		
Day	1 50	
Arthur E. Jackman 1-4 Day	1 00	
George A. Jackman 1-4 Day	88	

Caleb Litchfield 1-4 Day	88	
John Prince 1-4 Day	1 00	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
3-4 Day	6 75	
George White 1-4 Day	88	
Henry L. Stoddard 1-4 Day	88	
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PARKER STREET

Walter T. Osborn 2-3 Day	\$ 3 00	
One Team 2-3 Day	3 00	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 2-3		
Day	5 33	
George Chamberlain 2-3 Day	2 33	
Frank Cushing 2-3 Day	2 33	
J. Warren Foster 2-3 Day	2 33	
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 2-3		
Day	4 00	
Daniel Hill 2-3 Day	2 33	
George A. Jackman 2-3 Day	2 33	
Caleb Litchfield 2-3 Day	2 33	
Henry L. Stoddard 2-3 Day	2 33	
George White 2-3 Day	2 33	
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SCHOOL STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1-2 Day	\$ 2 25	
One Team 3-4 Day	3 75	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 1-2 Day	4 50	
George A. Beach 1-4 Day	1 00	
George Chamberlain 1 Day	4 00	
Frank Cushing 1 Day	4 00	
J. Warren Foster 1 Day	4 00	

Joseph W. Hatch and Horse 1 Day	6 75	
Daniel Hill 1 Day	4 00	
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day	4 00	
J. Foster Merritt, Jr. 1-4 Day	1 00	
John Prince 3-4 Day	3 00	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
1-4 Day	2 25	
George White 1 Day	4 00	
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		\$ 48 50

FOREST STREET

Walter T. Osborn 1 Day 7 Hours	\$ 8 00	
Large Truck 1-4 Day	5 00	
One Team 1 Day	5 00	
John T. Osborn 1-2 Day	2 00	
Perry H. Osborn and Team 7 Hours	7 00	
George Chamberlain 1 Day 7 Hours	7 11	
J. Warren Foster 1 Day 7 Hours	7 11	
Daniel Hill 1 Day 7 Hours.....	7 11	
Caleb Litchfield 1 Day 7 Hours....	7 11	
George White 1 Day 7 Hours	7 11	
Bert I. Richardson and Team		
1 1-8 Days 7 Hours	17 12	
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day	4 00	
John Prince 1 Day	4 00	
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		\$ 87 67

GENERAL ACCOUNT

Walter T. Osborn with State Road	
Man 2 Days	\$ 9 00
Automobile	4 00
Lantern on Main Street.....	1 00
Pole for Road Scraper	3 00

Telephones	7 00
Large Truck to Everett for Tar- via 1 Day	20 00
Small Truck to Everett for Tar- via 2 Days	14 00
Small Truck, Freight from Greenbush	3 50
Small Truck Delivering Culverts	3 50
John T. Osborn to Everett 2 Days	7 00
John T. Osborn 1-2 Day	1 75
Perry H. Osborn to Everett 1 Day	3 50
Perry H. Osborn Delivering Cul- verts 1 Day	3 50
Cecil Babbitt to Everett 1 Day....	3 50
Carrie M. Ford, Stationery.....	9 00
Phillips, Bates & Co., Tools	58 37
Robert W. MacDonald, Repairs..	5 75
Charles W. Tilden, Repairs	25 20
W. Shaw, Band Painting	6 00
H. L. Shaw, Band Painting.....	9 40
United States Asphalt Refining Co.	12 00
John H. Sparrell, Auto Service	1 15
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	\$ 211 12

SUMMARY BY STREETS

Main Street	\$ 2 963 80
River Street	2 181 64
Mt. Hope Street	99 02
South Street	1 101 15
Lincoln Street	114 01
Prospect Street	868 96
Tiffany Road	55 68
Norwell Avenue	263 89
Mt. Blue Street	170 86

Summer Street	782	13
High and Oak Streets	976	11
Jacobs Avenue	86	50
Grove Street	613	42
Bowker Street	60	50
Cedar Street	57	55
Winter Street	247	95
Cross Street	93	10
West Street	107	59
Pleasant Street	183	80
Common Street	60	06
Circuit Street	67	71
Pine Street	144	29
Green Street	130	55
Church Street	21	09
Stetson Road	93	03
Pond Street	129	61
Barstow Avenue	198	18
Bridge Street	136	54
Central Street Approaches	363	30
Dover Street	22	04
Parker Street	33	97
School Street	48	50
Forest Street	87	67
General Account	211	12
	<hr/> \$12 775 32	
Appropriation	\$ 9 000 00	
Received from State	3 600 00	
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Exceeded		\$ 175 32

SNOW ACCOUNT

Walter T. Osborn	\$ 62 75
Express and Carting Plow Blade	2 08

Large Truck	822 00
Small Truck	30 00
Four Horses	29 00
Foot Plow, Lumber and Bolts...	10 20
John T. Osborn	138 75
Perry H. Osborn	42 50
One Team	8 00
Three Horses	9 37
Five Horses	85 75
Charles W. Tilden, Repairs	7 50
Edwin A. Damon and Horse	28 50
Benjamin Loring and Horse	31 01
John F. Osborne and Team	61 00
Margaret Osborne	3 50
Alonzo Chisholm	7 00
Lawrence Soule	102 75
J. Foster Merritt, Jr.	25 00
Wesley Osborne	8 00
Alfred Molla	3 25
Alfred A. Bates and Horse	24 75
Everett W. Osborne	15 25
Edmund Lapham	1 00
Charles Giorgetti and Team	40 00
Carlo Giorgetti	3 50
Albert Graglia	13 00
G. Peterson and Team	39 00
Cecil Babbitt	111 50
George Dobson and Team	93 25
Emery Dobson	53 75
John Prince	48 50
Arthur E. Jackman	81 50
George A. Beach	24 75
Vernon McHugh	7 75
Allen Lester	21 50
Horace F. Henderson	5 25

Robert N. Leavitt	46 25
John E. Leslie	12 25
Francis Leslie	30 50
John Pinkham	23 00
Bertram H. Joseph	24 75
Lincoln Bates	17 50
Bert I. Richardson and Team....	41 50
Carlton O. Litchfield and Team ..	56 50
Lyman W. Lincoln and Horse	35 50
Henry L. Stoddard	21 00
William D. Goff	18 50
John Leavitt	17 50
George A. Osborne	4 00
James Gammon	2 50
Philip McDonald	12 00
Joseph Briggs and Team	51 50
William Latour	23 00
Charles H. Baker	30 25
Edwin C. Damon	7 00
Frank DeFabio	3 50
Robert W. MacDonald, Repairs ..	14 60
Henry Heredeen	2 50
Fred Heredeen	2 50
Joseph D. Meuse	56 25
Perley Keene	3 00
William Fair	3 00
Charles Hines	6 00
Allen Mott	2 50
Natale Molla	3 00
Weston Bates	12 50
Good Roads Machinery Co., 2 Plow Blades	21 00
I. Austin Lincoln	4 50
Henry W. Bates	3 25
Ansel Phillips	3 25

George Chamberlain	4 00	
Walter J. Wagner	13 00	
Thomas Cann	6 75	
Herbert E. Joseph	2 25	
A. Maxwell	6 25	
Lloyd B. Henderson	7 25	
Arthur F. Henderson and Team..	5 00	
Matthew Brown	2 00	
Caleb Litchfield	2 00	
Herbert Litchfield	2 00	
Archie Merritt	1 25	
Arthur Merritt	1 25	
Parker Tinkham	75	
Harrison Loud	75	
Willard Sharp	5 00	
George Jones	2 00	
Warren Wheeler	2 50	
John Tisdale	75	
Harry Ainslie	3 25	
Douglas S. Mitchell	3 00	
J. A. Hendrie, Suppers for Plow Crew at Night	8 80	
Richard Whiting	3 00	
Fred Smith, Jr.	3 00	
B. Smith	2 00	
George Barrell	6 50	
Patrick Francis	5 50	
Arthur Randall	8 50	
Lloyd West	75	
Harry B. Brown	2 50	
John H. Sparrell, Auto Service ..	5 50	
		<hr/> \$ 2 835 56
Appropriation		\$ 2 000 00
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Exceeded		\$ 835 56

Highway Account	\$12 775 32	
Snow Account	2 835 56	
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WALTER T. OSBORN

Highway Surveyor.

SUMMARY OF PAYROLL

Highway and Snow Expenditures

Donald Anthony	\$ 32 00
Cecil Babbitt	333 75
Charles H. Baker	130 25
Harry Ainslie	3 25
Alfred A. Bates	109 75
Mrs. Emma Bates, Gravel	7 95
Lincoln Bates	17 50
Weston Bates	12 50
Henry W. Bates	3 25
George Barrell	6 50
Harry B. Brown	2 50
Matthew Brown	2 00
Barrett Company, Tarvia	3 231 18
George Beach	180 47
Joseph Briggs and Team	449 75
Berger Mfg. Co., Culverts	76 55
Thomas Cann	19 75
George Chamberlain	150 10
Frank Cushing	64 38
Julius Cohan	12 00
Alonzo S. Chisholm	7 00
Emery Dobson	54 75
George Dobson	94 25

Edwin C. Damon	7 00
Edwin A. Damon and Horse	28 50
Mrs. Mary Farrar, Gravel	12 00
Miss Carrie M. Ford, Stationery ..	9 00
J. Warren Foster	165 00
Harold Francis	52 00
Patrick Francis	5 50
Frank DeFabio	3 50
Henry T. Gunderway	60 00
John H. Gunderway	13 00
James Gammon	2 50
William D. Goff	18 50
Charles Giorgetti and Team	40 00
Carlo Giorgetti	3 50
Albert Graglia	13 00
William Fair	3 00
Joseph W. Hatch and Horse	186 57
Arthur F. Henderson and Team..	547 25
Lloyd B. Henderson	57 25
Daniel Hill	124 10
Mrs. Elizabeth Hughes, Gravel	18 15
Horace F. Henderson	5 25
Henry Heredeen	2 50
Fred Heredeen	2 50
Arthur E. Jackman	255 75
George A. Jackman	11 38
Bertram H. Joseph	24 75
Herbert E. Joseph	2 25
George Jones	2 00
Perley Keene	3 00
Good Roads Machinery Co., Plow Blades	21 00
J. A. Hendrie, Suppers for Plow Crew	8 80
Robert N. Leavitt	167 00

John E. Leslie	12 25
Francis Leslie	30 50
Lyman W. Lincoln and Horse	60 25
John Leavitt	17 50
William Latour	23 00
Herbert Litchfield	2 00
Caleb Litchfield	126 10
Andrew J. Litchfield, Gravel	8 10
Carlton O. Litchfield and Team....	88 50
Benjamin Loring and Team	395 51
William Loring, Gravel	6 25
J. Austin Lincoln	4 50
Harrison Loud	75
Allen Lester	21 50
Ernest Lewis, Gravel	11 88
Edmund Lapham	1 00
Charles Hines	6 00
A. Maxwell	27 85
Allen Mott	2 50
Natale Molla	3 00
Alfred Molla	3 25
J. Foster Merritt, Jr.	138 22
Vernon McHugh	7 75
A. J. Mitchell, Crushed Stone	369 40
Joseph D. Meuse	61 50
Archie Merritt	1 25
Arthur Merritt	1 25
Douglas S. Mitchell	3 00
Robert W. MacDonald, Repairs ..	20 35
Philip McDonald	12 00
Lincoln Masuer	4 00
Everett W. Osborne	84 25
— John F. Osborne and Team	427 75
— Margaret Osborne	3 50
— Wesley Osborne	118 00

Walter F. Oakman	50 00
John T. Osborn	429 44
Perry H. Osborn and Team	415 56
Walter T. Osborn	486 63
Large Truck	I 682 00
Small Truck	368 00
Teams	737 63
Express, Freight, Etc.,	6 08
Gravel	10 20
Telephones	7 00
Foot Plow, Lumber, Etc.	10 20
George A. Osborne	4 00
Phillips, Bates & Co., Tools	58 37
John Prince	273 25
John Pinkham	81 00
Ansel Phillips	3 25
Arthur Randall	8 50
Bert I. Richardson and Team	I 049 25
G. Peterson and Team	39 00
Bernard Schultz	18 00
Henry L. Stoddard	42 88
Lawrence Sylvester	29 00
John H. Sparrell, Auto Service...	6 65
Lawrence Soule	I 37 75
Walter Shaw, Band Painting	6 00
H. L. Shaw, Band Painting	9 40
B. Smith	2 00
Fred Smith, Jr.,	3 00
Willard Sharp	5 00
Joseph F. Totman	I 58 00
Frank L. Thomas, Gravel	86 50
Charles W. Tilden, Repairs	32 70
Parker Tinkham	75
John Tisdale	75
United States Asphalt Refining Co.	12 00

Walter J. Wagner	128 00	
George White	225 60	
Warren Wheeler	2 50	
Richard Whiting	3 00	
Lloyd West	75	
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ROAD SCRAPER APPROPRIATION

New England Road Machinery Co.,		
Scraper	\$ 400 00	
Walter T. Osborn 1 Day	4 50	
John T. Osborn 1 Day	3 50	
Arthur E. Jackman 1 Day	3 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 411 50
Appropriation		\$ 400 00
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Exceeded		\$ 11 50

WALTER T. OSBORN

Highway Surveyor.

SPECIAL APPROPRIATION FOR FENCES

George A. Turner, Labor, Paint,		
Cement at Jacob's Pond.....	\$ 50 25	
Ashburton W. Pinson, Lumber ..	33 75	
	<hr/>	\$ 84 00
Appropriation		\$ 50 00
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Exceeded		\$ 34 00

WALTER T. OSBORN

Highway Surveyor.

Auditor

I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Overseers of the Poor, School Committee, Tax Collector and Treasurer and find them correct with vouchers for all amounts paid.

ELLIOTT W. CROWELL

Auditor for 1923.

Budget for 1924

The following Budget has been approved by the Advisory Board. It entails an approximate tax rate of \$36 50, a reduction of \$2 00 from 1923. Each additional \$1,000 00 raised will add 70 cents to the rate.

	Appropriated 1923	Recommended 1924
Support of Poor	\$ 2 500 00	\$ 2 000 00
Almshouse	2 000 00	2 000 00
Schools	15 000 00	17 000 00
Highways, Joint Account		
*State and Town,		
Article 4	4 800 00	4 800 00
General Purposes	4 200 00	4 700 00
Summer St., Article 5		500 00
Road Scraper	400 00	
Fence Repair	50 00	
Sign Boards, Article 6		250 00
Snow Removal	2 000 00	750 00
Insurance 3 Years		1 110 00
Notes:		
River Street	4 000 00	4 000 00
Union Bridge	2 000 00	
County Hospital		500 00
(2) Central Street	2 000 00	2 000 00
High School	2 000 00	2 000 00
Interest	4 600 00	4 350 00
State and County Taxes	6 300 00	6 500 00
Town Officers	2 700 00	2 700 00
Incidentals	2 000 00	2 000 00
School and District Nurse	1 200 00	1 200 00

	Appropriated 1923	Recommended 1924
Transportation of Nurse	500 00	500 00
County Hospital		
Maintenance	1 090 00	590 00
State Aid	1 200 00	1 000 00
Board of Health	500 00	500 00
Electric Lights	500 00	500 00
**Superintendent of Schools	500 00	
Tree Warden	50 00	75 00
Spraying Elms	200 00	200 00
Mowing Bushes	300 00	400 00
Squares and Triangles	200 00	225 00
Gypsy Moth	584 06	606 41
Fire Department	350 00	500 00
James Library	200 00	200 00
Ridge Hill Library	50 00	50 00
Soldiers Relief	400 00	400 00
School Physician	200 00	100 00
Memorial Day	250 00	250 00
Sealing Weights and		
Measures	50 00	50 00
Inspection of Animals	60 00	60 00
Washington Street Cemetery	75 00	50 00
Town Hall	75 00	150 00
Furniture and Fixtures	1 450 00	
Plymouth County Aid		
to Agriculture	100 00	100 00
Legion Rental	100 00	75 00
	<u>\$ 66 734 06</u>	<u>\$ 64 941 41</u>

Decrease Over 1923 \$ 1 792 65

*To be expended under the joint direction of a State Engineer and the selectmen which insures a grant from the State of \$3,600.00 for additional highway work.

**Provided for in School Appropriation.

Visiting Nurse Association

To the Citizens of Norwell—

The Visiting Nurse Association submits to you a financial report of the past year and a report of the Nurse's activities. We regret that this latter report covers a period of only five months.

The resignation of our former President was regretfully accepted in May.

The resignation of Miss Bache, because of her prolonged illness, was later accepted. Substituting for Miss Bache, Mrs. Marion Sauer completed the first term of school work. At the same time, we were fortunate in being able to secure the services of Mrs. Susan Turner of Hanover, for community nursing. This necessitated the obligation of providing transportation for Mrs. Turner to answer bedside calls as the Association car was used exclusively for school work. This arrangement covered a period of six weeks.

Please note in Treasurer's report the cost of upkeep of the car for the past year. In addition to this expense, supplies for the nurse's work must be provided. Dentistry for those school children whose parents cannot pay or can pay only in part is also provided by this Association as well as transportation to the dental clinic. When necessity demands it, school children are carried to the optician in Rockland to correct defects. The officers of the Association feel that the

time has come when we should have a new car but do not wish to assume the added responsibility without your approval and co-operation.

August first, Miss Catherine Roe, graduate of Cottage Hospital, Boston, began her duties as School and Community Nurse.

It was ruled that during the month of August, the Norwell Nurse should answer, secondarily, all Scituate calls. On the 13th of August, the Association car was in collision at North Scituate with a truck driven by Giovanni Decemberle of Brockton whose driving license had expired and for which offense, he later paid a fine of \$25 after having appealed to the Superior Court. The Association car was badly damaged and Miss Roe seriously injured. Suit was brought by Giovanni Decemberle against this Association for \$500. Mr. David H. Fulton of Boston, attorney for Lumbermen's Mutual Ins. Co. is defending the Association in the case, which is still pending in the Superior Court.

The officers of this Association wish to thank the people of the town for their support in the past year and ask for your hearty co-operation and good will in the coming year. It is our earnest desire to serve the Community and with that purpose in mind, we hope to be able to supply the sick room with necessities for every emergency.

Rules for Public Health Nurse

1. Public Health Nurse shall be on duty from 8 A. M. to 5 P. M. She shall have an afternoon free each week.
2. All calls received later than 4 P. M. must wait over until the next day except in case of emergency. Only urgent calls will be answered on Sundays and legal holidays. Word

must be given before five o'clock on previous day when possible.

3. Nurse shall not attend contagious cases.

4. The nurse shall, on no account, be allowed to give a diagnosis, to prescribe drugs or advise concerning the use of medicine.

5. The nurse is expected to receive her orders from the physician on whom the responsibility of the case devolves. She will answer all calls but is not allowed to continue with a case unless the physician is in charge.

CHARLOTTE G. OGDEN,

Chairman.

RECEIPTS

Balance January 1, 1923	\$ 73 89	
Nurse's Fees	186 50	
Sale of Tooth Brushes	7 63	
Membership Dues	77 00	
Sale of Tuberculosis Stamps 1922	107 61	
Refund on Tuberculosis Stamps 1922	18 11	
Dividend on Insurance Policy for Car	8 28	
Town Appropriation	200 00	
Anonymous Gifts	17 28	
Food Sales	66 85	
Total		\$ 763 15

EXPENDITURES

Nurse's Supplies	\$ 44 90
Membership of Massachusetts Association of Directors	2 00

Tuberculosis Stamps for 1922....	36 21
Tuberculosis Stamps for 1923....	65 65
Mrs. Marian Sauer, Substitute Nurse	112 50
Mrs. Susan Turner, Substitute Nurse	9 00
H. H. Howland, Transporting Mrs. Turner	9 75
Stationery and Printing	17 50
Telephone	11 00
Insurance for Car	50 58
Registration for Car, 1924	10 00
John Sparrell, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	138 16
Front Street Transportation Com- pany, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	19 07
Egypt Garage and Machine Com- pany, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	32 27
Harry W. Gardner, Overhauling Car	122 95
Harry E. Bates, Painting Car	45 00
Roy Litchfield, Hood Cover	3 50
Milligan Hardware Co., Auto Jack	1 95
Balance January 1, 1924.....	31 16
	<hr/> \$ 763 15

UNPAID BILLS

Dr. Eldridge for Work on School Children whose Parents are Unable to Pay	\$ 38 00
John H. Sparrell, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	57 29
Egypt Garage and Machine Com- pany, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	56 11

Front Street Transportation Com- pany, Repairs, Gasoline and Oil	1 40	
Telephone	2 90	
Bemis and Cooper, Nurse's Supplies	5 07	
		\$ 160 77
AGNES CROWELL		
Treasurer.		

NORWELL PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING SERVICE

From August 1, 1923 to January 1, 1924

Number of Patients	39
Number of Nursing Visits	115
Number of Infant Welfare Visits.....	20
Number of Prenatal Visits	3
Number of Tuberculosis Visits	2
Number of Visits to Children of Pre-School Age....	8
Number of Visits to Schools—This includes visits made with School Physician and School Dentist—Inspec- tions, Etc.	184
Number of Visits to Homes of School Children.....	151
Number of Visits to Clinics	43
Number of Sanitary Inspections in Schools.....	40
Number of Friendly Visits ...	10
Number of Other Visits	28
Number of Night Calls	4
Total Number of Calls	647

CATHERINE A. ROE.

Transcript of Articles in Warrant

Article 1. To choose a moderator.

Article 2. To hear the reports of the several boards of officers and committees of the town and act thereon.

Article 3. To make necessary apropriations to defray the expenses of the town, and for other purposes and to raise such sums of money as the town shall deem expedient for the following purposes:

Support of Poor, Almshouse Support of Schools, Highways, Summer St., Sign Boards, Removing Snow, Insurance, Notes, Interest, State and County Taxes, Town Officers, Incidentals, School and District Nurse, Transportation of Nurse, County Hospital, State Aid, Board of Health, Electric Lights, Tree Warden, Spraying Elms, Mowing Bushes, Squares and Triangles, Gypsy Moth, Fire Department, James Library, Ridge Hill Library, Soldiers' Relief, School Physician, Memorial Day, Sealing Weights and Measures, Inspection of Animals, Washington Street Cemetery, Town Hall, Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture, Legion Rental.

Article 4. Will the town raise and appropriate the sum of forty-eight hundred dollars to be expended on highways, under the provisions of Section 26 of Chapter 81 of the General Laws as amended.

(Approved by Advisory Board)

Article 5. Will the town appropriate \$500 to be expended jointly with the county and state for the improvement of Summer Street, provided that the county and state contribute \$2000 each for that purpose?

(Request of Mr. John Whalen)

[Approved by Advisory Board.]

Article 6. Will the town appropriate \$250 for the replacing of sign boards on the highways?

[Approved by Advisory Board]

Article 7. Will the town appropriate a sufficient sum to repair Mt. Blue Street, and put it in passable condition?

[Request of Mrs. H. T. Virtue]

[Not Approved by Advisory Board]

Article 8. Will the town appropriate \$1000 to improve Bridge Street?

[Request of Mrs. James H. Barnard]

[Not approved by Advisory Board]

Article 9. Will the town appropriate \$800 to resurface steam roll and tarvia Dover Street beginning at Main St

[Request of Miss Marion G. Merritt]

[Not approved by Advisory Board]

Article 10. Will the town appropriate \$500 for the improvement of Tiffany Road?

[Request of Mr. O. F. Osgood]

[Not approved by Advisory Board]

Article 11. Will the town act with the town of Hanover to have electric lights at the junction of River Street, Norwell, and Broadway, Hanover, and at Assinippi?

Article 12. Will the town maintain an electric light on Washington Street between the residence of Mr. C. E. Brewster and Mr. Henry Vining?

[Request of Mrs. A. Wakefield]

Article 13. Will the town maintain an electric light at the junction of Main and Parker Streets?

[Request of Mr. H. G. Pinson]

Article 14. Will the town vote to exempt from taxation for a term of ten years, the property of the Union Athletic Association, known as Ridge Hill Grove, in return for the free use of the grounds to the towns people for recreation?

Article 15. Will the town accept the provisions of Chapter 136, sections 21 to 28 of the General Laws, legalizing sports on Sunday where no admission fee is collected?

Article 16. To make allowances to town creditors.

Article 17. Will the town cause a statement of its financial affairs to be printed in February next?

Article 18. Will the town authorize the selectmen to appoint a committee to determine what land is suitable and available to acquire for a town forest under chapter 45, section 19, or chapter 132 section 35 of the General Laws?

Article 19. Will the town authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the District No. 2 School house?

Article 20. Will the town choose a director for the Plymouth County Aid to Agriculture?

Article 21. Will the town give any instructions to town officers?

Article 22. Will the town authorize the treasurer with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money on and after January 1, 1925, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1925, and to issue note or notes therefor, payable within one year. Any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year, beginning January 1, 1925.

Article 23. What salary and compensation will the town vote to pay all its elected officers. To conform with section 108, chapter 41, general laws?

Article 24. To see if the town will establish a Town Forest.

Article 25. To bring in their votes for a Town Clerk for one year; one Selectman; one Assessor; and one Overseer of the Poor for three years; a Treasurer; a Collector of Taxes; an Auditor; a Surveyor of Highways; five Constables; a Tree Warden for one year; one member of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; one Trustee for the Ridge Hill Library for three years, and to vote yes or no in answer to the question, "Shall license be granted for the sale of certain non-intoxicating beverages in this town?" Polls open from 6 a. m. to 11 p. m.

School Committee

To the Citizens of Norwell

At the first regular meeting of the Committee Benjamin Loring was elected Chairman and Nellie L. Sparrell Secretary and Treasurer.

The year past has not been marked by any very radical changes or startling innovations but rather by a steady improvement all along the line.

We have all been conscious of an increased earnestness among teachers and pupils due to a large extent to the more favorable conditions under which all have worked. The new building has relieved the crowding at Dist. No. 1 and Dist. No. 5 making it possible to give each teacher in these buildings two grades,—a grading as nearly ideal as our numbers will allow.

In June we were obliged to replace three teachers. Miss Teresa Manley of Dist. No. 1 resigned and Miss Mary B. Arringdale was engaged in her place. Rev. Myron Morrill resigned to resume his studies and Mr. David Ford was elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Nichols our High School principal passed away and Mr. Lester E. Williams was elected in his place. In the passing of Mr. Nichols, Norwell High School lost a valued friend and untiring worker whose end was hastened by his faithful attendance to his duties at the school, even against the orders of his doctor.

In August proposals for wood and transportation were printed and distributed. Aug. 16th the Committee met and publicly opened the same with the following results:

Bids for Wood—None received, therefore the wood for the remainder of the year was purchased of the local dealers as needed.

Bids for Transportation:

Route No. 1. One Truck 2 Trips per day each way.

J. H. Sparrell\$40 00 Per Week

Route No. 2.

J. H. Sparrell\$26 50 Per Week

Route No. 3.

C. O. Litchfield\$30 00 Per Week

Route No. 4.

M. F. Williamson \$31 00 Per Week

The Committee did not feel that it could grant the asked for increase on Route No. 3 as the work done was the same as the previous year, therefore the Chairman was delegated to interview the bidder to see if he would accept \$27.50 per week. He accepted and the route was given to him at that figure. The contracts were awarded as follows:

Route No. 1. One Truck 2 Trips per day each way.

J. H. Sparrell \$40 00 Per Week

Route No. 2.

J. H. Sparrell \$26 50 Per Week

Route No. 3.

C. O. Litchfield \$27 50 Per Week

Route No. 4.

M. F. Williamson \$31 00 Per Week

We are very proud of our health work in the schools. The regular examinations by the physician and dentist have been made and the "follow up work" faithfully carried on by the school nurse. The parents are urged to take advantage of Miss Roe's suggestions in the correction of physical defects in the children. This is not an attempt on the part of the school department to intrude upon the home life, but a sincere desire to be of service to the children in getting a good start in life physically.

As time goes on it becomes more and more evident that the upkeep of the car used by the nurse should be financed by the town as most of the work done is connected with the schools. Without it the nurse could not possibly make the necessary visits to the schools, transport pupils to the dentist, carry home those taken sick at school, or do "the follow up work."

As an adjunct to the health work an attempt at serving hot lunches has been made. In the High School building a basement room has been utilized as a lunch room, which was conducted last year by a lady from outside. This year the school has carried on the work, buying its dishes and oil stove, building counters from waste lumber and taking full charge of the preparation and serving of the lunch. An agent from the nutrition department of the State Board of Health is to give a talk to all interested at the High School on Better School lunches.

An opportunity to introduce a practical course in manual training at the cost of the materials alone has presented itself this year in the person of our principal Mr. Williams who taught in the Newton Vocational High School. Already under his supervision the boys have built a larger stage in the Town Hall. We have asked Mr. Williams to tell you of the proposed course in his report to you.

Beginning with a vacation of the week of Feb. 22nd, Norwell schools will be conducted on the so-called eight week plan, a system in vogue in many of the surrounding towns and cities. As nearly all of the legal holidays will fall in vacation weeks, our days of actual attendance during thirty-nine weeks of school will be as many as in the old system when the legal holidays usually fell outside vacation time.

In our budget we have asked for an increased amount for teachers' salaries. Our maximum is now \$1050 in the grades against \$1200 in even the smallest of our surrounding towns. In reality the town is paying but \$850 of this amount, as the state pays us \$200 on each of our teachers receiving \$1050 and \$150 each on the three grade teachers receiving less than \$1050. If our teachers have training and experience which the state department considers worth \$200 to the state, is it fair to take advantage of the fact that many of them live at home and pay them much less than they can command in other towns? The fact must be faced that in order to replace any grade teacher on the staff more salary would have to be paid for an inexperienced teacher from outside, who would not be acquainted with our conditions or needs.

Under the direction of the teachers the pupils have had supervised play during recess to a greater extent this year than formerly, made possible at the new building by the generosity of Mr. John F. Osborne who owns the land adjoining the building. The pupils and teachers fully appreciate this privilege and the committee take this opportunity of expressing its gratefulness for help in solving the problem of caring for the pupils out of doors.

In closing our report we wish to urge the citizens of Norwell to visit the schools even if they do not have children in

school and get first hand knowledge of what is being done for the pupils. We feel sure they will profit by the experience.

Respectfully submitted,

NELLIE L. SPARRELL, Secretary

AMY W. SYLVESTER

BENJAMIN LORING

School Superintendent

To the School Committee of Norwell:

Herewith is presented my sixth Annual Report as Superintendent of Schools. It is characterized by greater brevity than in former years; this because of the fact that many of the defects in the system have been removed by the reorganization which the past year has seen put into effect.

General Outlook

At no time during the writer's incumbency as Superintendent of Schools for this town has the general condition of the system been as near what it should be as during the past year. With the completion of the new building and the attendant regrading, or redistribution of grades, the whole situation took on a new aspect. Teachers took new courage and put new spirit into their work with a natural result in new response from their charges. Requisitions for new books began to flow in as the effect of the increased time allotments made themselves evident by increased accomplishment in the class rooms. This was especially true of supplementary reading material, and it was a source of regret that the financial resources at our command were so limited as to make adequate response not immediately possible.

Although a distinct gain is already evident as a result of the changes made possible by the new building, too much must not be expected at once. A period of several years must

pass before the full fruition of the reorganization will develop. Each year will show a distinct gain which will be cumulative and which will reach its normal level when a class has passed thru all of the grades under the improved conditions. In those years should come added improvements in physical surroundings in the elementary grades, together with improvements in methods of instruction and measurement of results as these are discovered by students of education who are attacking these problems in ever increasing numbers.

There is a tendency on the part of many who are unfamiliar with the inner workings of a school system to underestimate the difficulty and importance of the work of the teacher of the lower grades. It seems simple to teach a group of six year olds to read and write and to do elementary work with numbers. We sometimes forget that there is also a socializing problem present which is no mean part of the day's work. It is not an easy task to acclimate Johnny, for whom hitherto the sun has shone, the hen laid nice eggs, the cow given delicious milk, grandma baked cookies, and mother kissed bruises, to an atmosphere where there are twenty or thirty other Johnnies equally as important. The difficulty is by no means decreased if the atmosphere is made still more unfamiliar because of gloomy and unattractive surroundings. In these earlier school years the surroundings should be especially bright, comfortable, and cheery—a place where it is fun to go. With the right type of teacher in charge of such schools in the earlier years of a child's school life, the path is greatly smoothed for those who are their guides when they begin to make use of the tools of education with which they have been provided. Indeed a very great responsibility rests on those teachers of the earlier grades. It is important therefore that we have in these grades the right type of teacher in the best possible surroundings.

The one place in town where things are out of step is the Church Hill School. Here, in deference to the desires of the patrons, the old type of organization remains. This puts a handicap on both pupils and teacher. The handicap is at present not as great as it will be if an unkind fate makes a change of teacher necessary.

It is not a pleasant thing to say, but is nevertheless a fact that the maintenance of this school is increasing the cost of educating every pupil in town. This is because of the reduction of the sizes of the classes in Number Five to a point where the per pupil cost becomes excessive. All of the children in the Church Hill School could be accommodated at the Number Five School and eventually the services of a teacher dispensed with. This need not effect those teachers who have given years of faithful service in any way except to change their location. It is a well known fact that the school at Ridge Hill serves as a training school for the larger towns, and there is reason to suspect that a neighboring city will profit from this source at the close of this year.

The one department in which our schools are weakest is the very important one which has to do with the physical development and bodily care. We are barely meeting the requirements of the law in physical education, and the work in hygiene is antiquated. The School Nurse supplements our work in hygiene as much as her limited time will allow, but the teachers need more help and guidance.

Hanover has solved this problem uniquely by employing a full-time School Nurse who also acts as Supervisor of Physical Education, Director of Health Education, and Truant Officer. This may seem like an unwieldy combination of duties, but with a well organized schedule it works out admirably. It is difficult to find a nurse who is willing to assume

all of these duties, especially that of Supervisor of Physical Education, but given a person willing to attend Summer courses at the Normal School under direction of the State Department a very great good can result.

Conditions in the High School are very promising. This is very gratifying in view of the difficulties faced when death took Mr. Nichols who had served faithfully and well. It was no mean problem to find an executive as well as a teacher for this position, and with the new conditions brought about by the new building, the executive side was not to be neglected. Fortune favored us. We have in Mr. Williams the man we so seriously needed. His report and recommendations will be found on these pages.

The Teaching Staff

Changes in the teaching force during the year were large in proportion but small in number. Aside from the substitute work done by Mr. Ross in the High School, there were but three new members added to the staff. The Principalship of the High School was filled by Mr. Lester E. Williams, a man of unusual experience for a position like this, and who was available only through very fortuitous circumstances, so far as the town is concerned.

Mr. David Ford of Hanover who had completed his work at Harvard in three years was secured to replace Mr. Morrill.

The vacancy at Ridge Hill was filled by the election of Miss Arringdale a recent normal graduate.

These new teachers have strengthened the corps of teachers very materially. It is to be hoped that we can retain the staff intact for another year.

SOME FINANCIAL COMPARISONS

For the benefit of some who take a keen interest in the cost of education the following statistics are tabulated. These are from the last complete financial report of the State Department of Education covering the school year ending in June 1922. The figures for the last school year will not deviate very materially from these figures.

	Population	Valuation	Ave. Mem.	Tax Rate
Marshfield	1379	\$33 767 86	221	\$33 50
Plainville	1365	12 777 02	255	26 00
Pembroke	1358	15 441 45	214	35 20
Norwell	1348	14 308 63	254	38 00
Westminster	1343	11 710 44	277	25 00
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Hanover	2575	24 209 84	379	29 20
Scituate	2534	75 981 57	441	23 20

	Exp. per \$1000 For Schools	Per Pupil Cost to Town	Amount Raised By Town	Total Cost of Schools
Marshfield	\$ 6 43	\$98 72	\$21 719 29	\$23 151 54
Plainville	11 82	59 25	15 108 63	21 611 25
Pembroke	9 53	69 75	14 716 65	19 105 29
Norwell	10 67	60 80	15 260 92	22 745 50
Westminster	9 38	39 63	10 978 83	20 679 98
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Hanover	9 14	59 00	20 125 63	29 731 00
Scituate	5 88	101 30	44 674 94	47 395 00

Space does not permit comment on these figures. They are offered as a convenient table of reference for those who desire to compare the cost of education in Norwell with that in towns of about the same size. Attention is called to the fact that the assessed valuation and the average membership in the schools are important factors in any conclusions which may be drawn.

NUMBER AND DISTRIBUTION OF PUPILS

The usual tabulations of the number and distribution of school children in the Norwell schools will be found below. The age and grade distribution is made this year on the basis of six years as the proper entrance age, and I would recommend that this coming school year the entrance age be set at five years and six months as the minimum.

School-Grade Distribution													
	I	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	X	XI	XII	T
Miss Tolman	6	4	4	7									21
Miss Litchfield			9	15									24
Miss Merritt	14	7											21
Miss Arringdale			11	14									25
Mrs. Jones	5	14											19
Mrs. Osborne							18	20					38
Mrs. Pinson					29	27							56
High School									21	20	6	9	56
	25	25	24	36	29	27	18	20	21	20	6	9	260

AGE AND GRADE DISTRIBUTION

	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	T	A	Per Ct.	R	Per Ct.
I	1	17	3	3	1											25	1	4	4	16
II		3	18	4												25	3	12	0	0
III			7	11	4	1	1									24	7	28	2	8
IV				6	20	5	3	2								36	6	17	5	14
V					1	19	6	2		1						29	1	4	3	11
VI						8	8	5	3	2	1					27	8	30	6	22
VII						1	5	8	3	1						18	6	33	1	6
VIII							1	7	5	3	3	1				20	8	40	4	20
IX									7	8	4	2				21	7	33	2	10
X									1	8	6	3	2			20	9	45	2	10
XI										1	1	3	1			6	2	33	0	0
XII										1		3	4		1	9	4	44	1	10
	1	20	28	21	28	35	24	24	19	25	15	12	7		1	260	62	24	30	12

Key :—Roman Numerals Indicate Grades.

Arabic Numerals Indicate Ages.

A—Number Young for their Grade.

R—Number Too Old for the Grade.

The percentage of acceleration is apparently large this year. This is because of the change in basis used here for the first time. The lowest entering age limit is six years for this table instead of five as used in former years.

The lower age limit is raised one year in each grade as is the upper limit also. This automatically changes the relative proportions of our age and under age pupils.

Of course this table is based on chronological age and is not a true index of actual retardation from the psychological standpoint as it makes no allowance for differences in natural abilities of various pupils.

CONCLUSION

In closing, I wish to state again my appreciation of the work done by the teachers and all who have been working for the betterment of the Norwell Schools. It has been a good year and the promise is bright for a steady improvement.

Respectfully submitted,

STEPHEN G. BEAN.

West Hanover, December 31, 1923.

High School Principal

Norwell, Mass., February 8, 1924.

To the School Committee of Norwell

The question is occasionally asked "Why can't the Norwell High School prepare for college as well as the—— High School?" The answer is unqualified: it can. I hope all the parents of the town will understand that in order to prepare for any college which accepts candidates only in uniform college entrance requirements (Harvard, Boston University, Smith, Amherst, etc.) a pupil must spend all of a hard four years course, each subject, of which is acceptable to the college. In this school the easiest and surest way to meet these requirements is to take four years of Latin. It is worthy of note that this September I found no single pupil who could be coaxed to continue this subject beyond the first year. It is my hope that before the close of school I shall be able to place in each parent's hands a clear cut statement of what the school can offer. I believe we can offer a wide range of subjects by alternating them; for example, by offering third year Latin to both Seniors and Juniors one year, and fourth year Latin to the same group the next year. Latin, French, English, Mathematics, History Economics, Sociology, Botany may be treated in this way.

There is an unreasonable number of pupils who are repeating High School subjects because of previous failure. Several reasons for this may be stated; of which the most important is that pupils who have no interest in such subjects

are forced, for lack of something better, to take Ancient History, Algebra, Geometry, etc. This is bad for the pupil because he gets the idea that he is a failure ("I can't do the work"), and it stops his progress in the school; it is bad for the town because the child stays in school an extra year in many cases, and that year's schooling costs an extra \$140.00. It seems to me the remedy is simple; if we enrich the school's offering by adding such work as manual training, cooking and sewing I believe a great part of this trouble will disappear. By careful planning this can be done so that there will be no great increase in expense year by year beyond the initial expenditure for equipment. In fact, I sincerely believe that the elimination of the retardation of which I have spoken will actually pay for the up-keep of the new courses.

LESTER E. WILLIAMS.

School Nurse

To the Norwell School Committee

At your request I am giving a brief report and outline of the duties of the School Nurse.

1. To assist the School Physician in the physical examinations of each child.
2. To keep records of these examinations.
3. Follow-up work, that is to make visits to the parents of school children having physical defects, explaining the meaning, and giving any help possible to have these defects corrected.
4. To assist the school dentist at the dental clinic.
5. Class-room inspection for cleanliness, deformities and skin eruptions.
6. To try to help improve the general health of the school children.

To make the health work in the schools a success we need co-operation. We have this co-operation in Norwell as was evidenced in the number of children attending the dental clinic, and having physical defects corrected.

Have we finished with our health work? Certainly not

—we have just begun. Although it is a slow work—it is sure and the money spent improving the health and mind is the best investment a Town can make, for in return it gets strong, healthy boys and girls for future citizens.

I wish to thank the people of Norwell for their co-operation.

CATHERINE A. ROE.

School Nurse.

September 4, 1923—December 31, 1923.

Superintendent of Schools:

Mr. S. J. Bean

Number of Visits to Schools	154
Number of Inspections (Teeth, Hair, Skin, etc.)	634
Number of Inspections (Sanitary)	40
Number of Visits made with School Physician	32
Number of Children Examined	421
Number of Visits to Homes of School Children.....	151
Number of Visits to Dental Clinic	42
Number of Children with Physical Defects	39
Number of Children Having Defects Corrected.....	15
Number of Children Having Dental Work Completed..	123
Number of Children Having Dental Work Done at Clinic	89
Number of Children Excluded During Year (Excluded on account of inpetigo-pediculus)	30
Assisted School Physician and School Dentist in Examin- ations.	

Respectfully submitted,

CATHERINE A. ROE, R. N.

Supervisor of Drawing

To the Board of School Committee:

As usual, I briefly summarize my work.

I find the returns show as the amount of time put to the subject.

There is at least one hour a week given this subject in the grades and more time as the teacher sees fit to use the time.

In the High School the students have forty minutes a week.

In September this year at the High school I was permitted to use the vacant room (the future library) on the street floor as my class room.

We are doing very well and Mr. Williams, the principal, has proved himself a good supporter both to the pupil and myself in our work.

In writing this report I am disappointed not to receive in time the report from the State meeting of Art teachers held in the Mass. Normal Art building lately.

It is some years since the state art supervisor has called meetings. They are to be held from time to time in smaller districts through the year. These gatherings are to keep the work and supervisor together, with the state supervisor as a leader.

Vocational work is a demand of the art teacher today, and where it is not needed, the least we can do is to give opportunity to enjoy and to think with some degree of intelligence, give them confidence in their own ability and the technique to accomplish this—a general training makes the man mentally strong.

I thank the grade teachers through this report for their faithful fulfillment of outlines and execution of all suggestions. To them, in a great measure, is due the credit for the grade work.

Most Sincerely,

A. GERTRUDE ELDRIDGE.

Financial Statement

TEACHERS' SALARIES

John M. Nichols	\$ 210 00
W. S. Ross	I 197 00
Lester E. Williams	800 00
Lois C. Turner	I 160 00
Katherine Ranney	I 100 00
David Ford	400 00
Myron Morrill	672 00
Ella F. Osborn	I 050 00
Florence Pinson	I 050 00
Marion G. Merritt	I 050 00
Maria W. Tolman	I 050 00
Dorothy Litchfield	900 00
Minnie Jones	900 00
Teresa Manley	600 00
Mary B. Arringdale	400 00
Mrs. A. G. Eldredge	300 00
Geo. H. Woods	700 00
Gracia Soule	20 00
Ethel M. Studley	70 00
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\$13 629 00	

SUPERINTENDENT

Stephen G. Bean	\$ I 069 79
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TRANSPORTATION

J. H. Sparrell, Route No. 1, 40 Weeks at \$40.00 Per Week, 2 Trips Each Way per Day..	\$ I 600 00
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Route No. 2, 40 Weeks at \$26.50	
Per Week	1 060 00
C. O. Litchfield, Route No. 3, 40	
Weeks at \$27.50	1 100 00
M. F. Williamson, 40 Weeks at	
\$31.00	1 240 00
	<hr/> \$ 5 000 00

JANITOR SERVICE

C. A. Bruce	
High School	\$ 671 00
District No. 5	164 00
G. A. Goodnough	
District No. 1	164 00
Wm. C. Tolman	
District No. 7	66 00
Donald Anthony	
District No. 7	20 00
	<hr/> \$1 085 00

FUEL AND FITTING

W. T. Osborn, Wood	\$ 66 00
Lyman Lincoln, Wood	100 00
Benjamin Loring, Wood	196 50
John F. Osborn, Wood	8 00
Joseph Briggs, Wood	3 00
J. M. Taylor, Wood	50 00
City Fuel Co., Coal	350 20
J. T. Fitts, Coal	474 75
C. A. Bruce, Labor	2 25
Donald Anthony, Labor	7 50
M. A. Bruce, Labor	75
John F. Osborne, Labor	2 50
Chas. H. Baker, Labor	2 00

James Clarke, Labor	18 00	
G. A. Goodenough, Labor	9 75	
Benjamin Loring, Labor	60 00	
		<hr/> \$ 1 351 20

BOOKS

Funk and Wagnal's	\$ 18 60	
Macmillan Co.,	4 15	
Ginn and Co.	46 81	
American Book Co.	196 71	
D. C. Heath	16 88	
Benjamin Sanborn	12 92	
Edw. E. Babb	280 73	
Silver Burdett	4 45	
Gregg Publishing Co.	9 46	
Oliver Ditson	13 61	
Geo. H. Woods	75	
Turner's Store	2 58	
		<hr/> \$ 607 65

SUPPLIES AND INCIDENTALS

Houghton and Dutton, Supplies..	\$ 46 16
Amy Sylvester, Supplies	4 00
Stone and Forsyth, Supplies	141 00
Dowling School Supply Company, Supplies	21 46
Edw. E. Babb, Supplies	224 90
Harris and Gilpatric, Supplies	28 29
Houghton Mifflin, Supplies	12 24
Melvin Little, Supplies	2 09
Bay State Fibre Co., Furniture....	89 95
Bemis and Cooper, Supplies	8 17
Carrie M. Ford, Supplies	27 00
Gregg Publishing Co., Supplies ..	90

Dennison Mfg. Co., Supplies	1 08
H. S. Turner and Co.	2 75
Milton Bradley Co.,	17 54
Wright and Potter	13 97
Arthur J. Turner, Labor	5 50
Natal H. Molla, Labor	8 60
Floyd Osborne, Labor	5 25
L. W. Lincoln, Labor	2 00
Frederic T. Bailey and Co., Labor	14 25
Clarence Winslow, Labor	59 20
John F. Osborne, Labor	2 00
Arthur H. Osborne, Labor	52 00
M. A. Bruce, Labor	72 35
Ralph Sprague, Labor	21 25
C. A. Bruce, Labor	42 87
Geo. A. Turner, Labor	34 00
Wm. Tolman, Labor	10 00
W. S. Ross, Labor	8 00
James Gammon, Labor	5 00
Walter Wagner, Labor	3 00
Mrs. Eva Winslow, Labor	25 00
Clarence Joseph, Labor	6 00
N. E. Fire Appliance Co., Fire Ex-	
tinguishers	52 50
Standard Oil Co., Floor Oil	17 33
J. H. Sparrell, Cash Paid, Tele-	
phone, Carting and Auto Hire	143 31
Nellie L. Sparrell, Cash Paid	37 07
Benjamin Loring, Telephone, Auto	
Hire and Cash Paid	127 97
Thomas Buttimer, Legal Services..	15 00
Lois C. Turner, Cash Paid	1 20
Dr. A. B. Eldredge, Inspection of	
Teeth	25 00
Dr. Harry Cleverley, Medical Ser-	
vices	5 00

Dr. Wm. P. Grovestein, Medical Services	15 00	
Abington Electric Light Co., Electric Lights	92 77	
N. E. Tel. and Tel. Co., Telephone Hall and Torrey, Stove Front and Repairs	63 07	
	41 92	
C. L. Rice, Supplies	2 50	
City of Boston, Tuition	38 58	
Ward's Diplomas	16 25	
Brockton Typewriter Co.	48 77	
Beal and McCarthy	5 00	
		\$ 1 766 01

SUMMARY

Town Appropriation	\$15 000 00	
Town Appropriation for Supt.	500 00	
Income of Mass. School Fund....	4 268 28	
Tuition of Children	67 51	
From State for Supt.....	653 06	
From State for High School Tuition	1 035 71	
From State General School Fund..	1 880 00	
County Dog Tax	219 28	
Refunds	15 08	
		\$23 638 92

EXPENDITURES

Teachers' Salaries	\$13 629 00
Superintendent of Schools	1 069 79
Janitor Services	1 085 00
Fuel and Fitting	1 351 20
Transportation	5 000 00

Books and Supplies	607 65	
Supplies and Incidentals	1 766 01	
	<hr/>	\$24 508 65
Appropriation Exceeded by		<hr/> \$ 869 73

FURNISHING AND FITTING ACCOUNT

Expenditures

C. A. Batson	\$ 271 23	
Young Electric Co.	112 60	
C. L. Rice, Inc.	145 74	
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell	114 00	
Geo. F. Welch Co.	337 15	
J. H. MacDonald	241 58	
Royal Typewriter Co.	210 00	
Bay State Hardware Co.	8 50	
	<hr/>	\$ 1 440 80
Appropriation		\$ 1 450 00
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Unexpended Balance		\$ 9 20

Respectfully Submitted,

NELLIE L. SPARRELL, Secretary.
 AMY W. SLYVESTER
 BENJAMIN LORING

